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November 15, No. 646 (G)

Compensation for dearness of food.—Recording G.O. No. 742, Financial, dated 17th November 1917, sanctioning the grant of — to all wholetime servants of Government on civil establishment whose pay does not exceed Rs. 30 per mensem and to State prisoners up to the end of November 1917 in the districts of Ganjām, Gōdāvari, Kistna, Guntūr, Kurnool, Bellary, Anantapur, Cuddapah, Nellore, Chingleput, Madras, South Arcot, North Arcot, Coimbatore, Trichinopoly, Tanjore, Madura, Ramnad, Tinnevelly, Malabar, South Kanara and the Nilgiris.
November 23, No. 667 (G)

Article 1094 (*c*) *of the Civil Service Regulations.*—Recording G.O. No. 743, Financial, dated 17th November 1917, stating that the Government of India have agreed to an amendment of — so as to permit an officer on transfer, to charge for the transport of a motor-cycle with or without side-car, if he is entitled to free transport of a motor-car and to the amendment being made applicable to Mr. M. O'Brien, Executive Engineer, Public Works Department, for the journey in connexion with his transfer from Madura to Vizagapatam and directing all controlling officers to scrutinize more closely than hitherto the reasons given in the travelling allowance bill in the case of each journey performed on a motor-cycle with a view to prevent the abuse of the employment of this means of conveyance by touring officers and to check this undesirable state of things by departmental action before more drastic course of reducing mileage rate of journey performed on motor-cycles is considered.
November 30, No. 675 (G)

Staff boat used for the office records and establishment of Mr. Connell employed on special duty. Approving the proposal of the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, to debit to office contingencies the monthly rent and haulage charges of the — and stating that the travelling allowance of the establishment using the boat will be regulated by Article No. 999 (1)-(A) of the Civil Service Regulations.
December 8, No. 510 I. (B)

Grant of Leave Allowance to Mr. A. Vonlintzgy.—Recording G.O. No. 1558 W., dated 6th December 1917, regarding —, late Shift Engineer, Divi Pumping Station.
December 13, No. 713 (G)

Exchange compensation allowance.—Recording G.O. No. 751, Financial, dated 20th November 1917, recording Resolution of the Government of India, Finance Department, No. 1175-F.E., dated 30th October 1917, directing that — should be calculated with reference to the current market rate of exchange.
December 20, No. 720 (G)

Civil Officers on military duty.—Recording G.O. No. 1404, Public, dated 29th November 1917, recording endorsement of the Government of India on the subject of the admissibility of civil furlough pay to an officer who at the time of his transfer to military employ held no substantative appointment in the Civil Department.
December 22, No. 723 (G)

ANICUTS.

Improvements to the Vallur Anicut, Chingleput division.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 13,421 for —.
January 23, No. 33 I. (A)

Improvements to the Vallur Anicut, Chingleput division.—Reclassifying the estimate for — sanctioned in G.O. No. 33 I., Press, dated 23rd January 1917.
February 14, No. 68 I. (A)

Nagavaram anicut and supply channel.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, III Circle, G.O. No. 96, Revenue, dated 15th January 1917, approving a revised forecast of revenue in connexion with the improvements to the — in the Pullampet taluk, Cuddapah district.
March 2, No. 121 (G)

Restoration of the Kanniyampalaiyam anicut, Coimbatore district.—Recording letter from the Government of India stating that the Madras Government were within their powers in having sanctioned the estimate for the —.
March 20, No. 116 I. (A)

Restoration of the Kanniyampalaiyam anicut, Coimbatore district.—Approving a deviation statement for the —.
March 22, No. 122 I. (B)

Kothambakkam anicut across Sellangal odai, Villupuram taluk, South Arcot district.—Sanctioning, with remarks, an estimate amounting to Rs. 15,800 for re-building and extending the —.
April 30, No. 170 I. (A)

Reconstructing the Thenpalai anicut across the Varāhanadhi river and excavating a supply channel to Thenpalai tank (*Imperial No.* 68), *South Arcot district.*—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 14,640 for —.
May 28, No. 209 I. (B)

Irrigation works.—Communicating to Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, G.O. No. 229, Public (Political), dated 19th May 1917, recording, with remarks, correspondence relating to the construction by the Travancore Darbar of a masonry drop in the Elathur anicut across the Hanumanadi and requesting the Resident in Travancore and Cochin to convey to the Darbar the Government's regret for the allegations made in G.O. No. 250, Political, dated 8th June 1916.
June 6, No. 317 (G)

ANICUTS—*cont.*

Pulaparti anicut of the Varāhanadhi river in the Vizagapatam district.—Recording papers connected with question No. 74 (original No. 72) asked at the Legislative Council meeting held on 22nd May 1917 regarding the opening of screw-gearing shutters and the raising of the crest level of the — and the answer given thereto. June 21, No. 247 I. (B)

Korugal anicut.—Ordering that the Nizam's Government be addressed to strictly follow the dates laid down in G.O. No. 306 I., dated 5th July 1907, for the opening and closing of the scouring sluices of the — on the Hyderabad side of the Tungabhadra river. July 2, Nos. 273-74 I. (B)

Fishing in anicuts.—Directing that the scope of the orders issued in G.O. No. 428 I., dated 19th September 1916, does not cover the rivers in the Tanjore district, for the duration of the current lease and requesting the Superintending Engineer, VII Circle, to submit a report on the present system before the termination of the current lease. July 6, No. 278 I. (A)

Anicuts.—Communicating to Superintending Engineer, VII Circle, G.O. No. 2007, Revenue, dated 5th July 1917, passing orders on the proposals of the Board of Revenue for the determination of the ayacuts under the private — across the Pambauar and the Varattar in the Tiruvannāmalai taluk of the North Arcot district. August 10, No. 456 (G)

Restoration of the Kanniampalaiyam anicut, Coimbatore district.—Approving the second deviation statement for the —. August 31, No. 365 I. (B)

Improvements to the Vadakalur anicut, Coimbatore division.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 3,250 for —. September 26, No. 402 I. (B)

Reconstructing the damaged portions of the Penner anicut.—Requesting the Superintending Engineer, III Circle, to submit plans and estimates for the work — without further delay. October 8, No. 362 I. (R)

Supplemental estimate of Rs. 500 for replacing the rails in the Kothambakam anicut, South Arcot division.—Sanctioning — to the estimate sanctioned in G.O. No. 170 I., dated 30th April 1917. October 10, No. 423 I. (B)

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

Appointments filled by the Crown or with the approval of the Crown. Recording G.O. No. 341, Public, dated 26th March 1917, recording letter from the Government of India pointing out that His Majesty the King has an absolute direction in the matter of the selection of officers for —. May 3, No. 239 (G)

Powers of sanction.—Recording G.O. No. 284, Financial, dated 5th May 1917, recording resolution of the Government of India authorizing Provincial Governments to sanction the creation of temporary appointments or deputations necessitated by the war, provided that any such appointment or deputation shall not exceed beyond six months after the conclusion of the war and that the remuneration in any case shall not exceed Rs. 2,500 a month. May 24, No. 282 (G)

Deputy Tahsildar and Sub-Magistrate.—Recording G.O. No. 1226, Revenue, dated 27th April 1917, stating that when a Collector of his own accord includes in the district list the name of a clerk serving in a Madras office in view to his appointment as a — the rule that such clerks shall have passed in two vernacular languages will not apply. May 25, No. 288 (G)

Deputy Secretary.—Recording G.O. No. 352, Financial, dated 31st May 1917, sanctioning the extension up to 31st August 1917 of the temporary appointment of — to Government. June 7, No. 321 (G)

Mr. S. Wadsworth, I.C.S.—Recording G.O. No. 1100, Public, dated 31st August 1917, placing — on special duty in the Home Secretariat, Madras, for three months from 17th September 1917 for the preparation of the Administration Report of the Madras Presidency for 1916–17. September 4, No. 512 (G)

Deputy Tahsildar and Sub-Magistrate.—Recording G.O. No. 2738, Revenue, dated 4th September 1917, passing orders in regard to the circulation of the names of clerks serving in Madras offices for the post of —. October 3, No. 557 (G)

Special duty.—Recording G.O. No. 709, Financial, dated 2nd November 1917, sanctioning the — of Mr. A. R. L. Tottenham, I.C.S., in the Chief Secretariat for a period of six months from 29th October 1917, for the purpose of examining the possibility of reducing work and establishments in the Government offices in the Presidency. November 8, No. 639 (G)

Agricultural practices.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineers of Circles, G.O. Mis. No. 3474, Revenue, dated 3rd November 1917, recording, with remarks, letter from the Director of Agriculture regarding the extension of the special duty of Mr. Tampoe in connexion with the enquiry into the — Gōdāvari Western Delta. November 12, No. 644 (G)

AQUEDUCTS.

Gannavaram aqueduct, Gōdāvari Eastern delta.—Directing, with remarks, the publication of a notification embodying certain special rules for the control of traffic at the —.
July 5, No. 276 I (A)

Irrigation Work.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, I Circle, G.O. No. 3814, Revenue, dated 29th November 1917, passing orders on the proposal of the Board of Revenue for the execution of an agreement by the Raja of Bobbili in connexion with the construction of an iron pipe aqueduct to convey the water of Meraki Batti across the Singinadam channel in the Ganjām district.
December 14, No. 715 (G)

ARBITRATION.

MYSORE-MADRAS-CAUVERY.

Mysore-Madras-Cauvery Arbitration.—Passing orders on the Inspection notes of Mr. F. E. Morgan, Assistant Chief Engineer for Irrigation, and the Chief Engineer for Irrigation's note thereon, on the sites for gauging the Cauvery in Mysore during 1917 in connexion with the —.
March 19, Nos. 112-113 I. (A)

Mysore-Madras-Cauvery Arbitration.—Directing that the Secretary of State for India be addressed regarding the scope of Rule XXIII of the Award rules of regulation of the Mysore-Cauvery (Kannambadi) reservoir forming part of the award of the Arbitrator in the —.
March 29, Nos. 134-35 I. (A)

Mysore-Madras-Cauvery Arbitration.—Referring for the decision of the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India a further issue regarding the scope of Rule XXIII of the rules of regulation of the Mysore (Kannambadi) Cauvery reservoir forming part of the Award in the —.
March 29, Despatch No. 1 (I)

Mysore-Madras-Cauvery Arbitration.—Transmitting to the Secretary of State direct despatch No. 1, I., dated 25th March 1917, regarding the scope of Rule XXIII of the rules of regulation of the Mysore (Kannambadi) Cauvery reservoir.
March 29, Despatch No. 2 (I)

Mysore-Madras-Cauvery Arbitration.—Directing that the Government of India be addressed on the subject of the hot weather flow Madras is entitled to under the Arbitration award during the construction of the Mysore-Cauvery reservoir.
April 2, Nos. 140-41 I. (A)

Notes of inspection, dated 23rd September 1916, by the Chief Engineer for Irrigation on the works in execution on the Kannambadi dam.—Recording the —.
April 5, No. 205 (G)

Regulation of the Krishnarajasagara (Kannambadi Reservoir) in Mysore.—Ordering that a copy be sent to the Government of India on the subject of (1) reparation due to Madras on account of the unjustifiable impounding of water in the Mysore Krishnarajasagara during December 1916 and January 1917 and (2) the agency (independent of Mysore and Madras) to be appointed by the Government of India for the regulation of the Reservoir.
April 23, Nos. 156-57 I. (A)

Hot weather flow under the Award Rules of Regulation.—Forwarding to the Honourable the Resident in Mysore a copy of letter No. 141 I., dated 2nd April 1917, to the Government of India on the —.
April 24, Nos. 158-59 I. (B)

Mysore-Madras-Cauvery Arbitration.—Referring in continuation of Despatch No. 1 (I.), dated 26th July 1916, for the consideration of the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India certain new facts connected with the matter of control of Regulation of the Mysore-Cauvery (Krishnaraja Sagara) reservoir at Kannambadi.
May 2, Despatch No. 3 I.

Mysore-Madras-Cauvery Arbitration.—Transmitting an advance copy of Despatch No. 3 I., dated 2nd May 1917, submitting, for the consideration of the Secretary of State, certain new facts connected with the matter of control of regulation of the Mysore-Cauvery (Krishnaraja Sagara) reservoir at Kannambadi.
May 2, Despatch No. 4 I.

Mysore-Madras-Cauvery Arbitration.—Forwarding, for the consideration of the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India, a memorial, dated 28th April 1917, received from the landholders of the Tanjore and Trichinopoly districts in respect to the award of the — case.
May 2, Despatch No. 5 I.

Mysore-Madras-Cauvery Arbitration.—Transmitting an advance copy of Despatch No. 5 I., dated 2nd May 1917, submitting, for the consideration of the Right Honourable the Secretary of State the memorial, dated 28th April 1917, received from the landholders of Tanjore and Trichinopoly districts in respect to the award of the —.
May 2, Despatch No. 6 I.

Mysore-Madras-Cauvery Arbitration.—Directing that the Secretary of State be addressed, through the Government of India, on the subject of certain new facts connected with the matter of control of regulation of the Mysore-Cauvery (Krishnaraja Sagara) reservoir at Kannambadi.
May 2, Nos. 174-75 I. (A)

Mysore-Madras-Cauvery Arbitration.—Ordering that the memorial, dated 28th April 1917, received from the landholders of the Tanjore and Trichinopoly districts in respect to the award of the — be forwarded through the Government of India for the consideration of the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India.
May 2, Nos. 176-77 I. (A)

ARBITRATION—*cont.*

MYSORE-MADRAS-CAUVERY—*cont.*

Madras-Mysore-Cauvery Arbitration.—Recording endorsement from the Government of India forwarding, for the information of the Madras Government, papers received from the Secretary, Public Works Department, India Office, London, regarding the selection of an experienced Irrigation Engineer (Sir A. L. Webb, K.C.M.G., Inspecting Engineer to the Egyptian and Sudanese Governments) to advise on certain questions regarding the award in the — case, now under the consideration of the Secretary of State for India.
May 24, No. 202 I. (A)

Mysore-Madras-Cauvery Arbitration.—Issuing an erratum to the note by the Chief Engineer for Irrigation, dated 30th March 1917, printed in G.O. Nos. 140–41 I., dated 2nd April 1917.
May 25, Nos. 207–208 I. (B)

Mysore-Madras-Cauvery Arbitration.—Recording endorsement of the Government of India forwarding copy of a telegram from the Secretary of State for India stating that the Mysore Darbar may be informed that the award in the — case is still under his consideration.
June 2, No. 220 I. (A)

Mysore-Madras-Cauvery Arbitration.—Forwarding to the Government of India copies of despatches to the Secretary of State for India Nos. 1-I of 1916 and 1-I of 1917 on the subject of the —.
June 24, No. 351 (G)

Mysore Chief Engineer's inspection notes on the gauging observations—July 1917.—Forwarding to the Resident in Mysore a copy of the Chief Engineer for Irrigation's note on the —.
August 8, Nos. 334–35 I. (A)

Notes of an inspection on Mysore gaugings.—Communicating to the Resident in Mysore copy of the — made by the Chief Engineer for Irrigation with the Inspector-General of Irrigation and the Chief Engineer of Mysore in August 1917.
August 27, Nos. 356–57 I. (A)

Mysore-Madras Cauvery Arbitration.—Forwarding to the Hon'ble Resident in Mysore, for communication to the Mysore Darbar, copies of the despatches of this Government to the Secretary of State for India regarding the —.
September 19, Nos. 386–87 I. (A)

Mysore-Madras-Cauvery Arbitration.—Directing that a letter be sent to the Government of India submitting the comments of the Madras Government on the Mysore Darbar's letter of 25th July 1917 regarding the regulation by the Darbar of the flow of water of the Cauvery river at their Krishnaraja Sagara reservoir at Kannambadi.
October 5, Nos. 409–10 I. (A)

The Hon'ble the Resident of Mysore.—Forwarding copies of certain despatches between the Madras Government and the Secretary of State for India regarding the Mysore-Madras-Cauvery Arbitration.
October 10, No. 580 (G)

Mysore-Madras-Cauvery Arbitration.—Ordering that a letter be sent to the Resident in Mysore regarding the regulation of Krishnaraja Sagara at Kannambadi.
October 26, No. 439 I. (A)

Mysore-Madras Cauvery Arbitration.—Letter sent to the Resident in Mysore regarding the regulation of the Krishnaraja Sagara at Kannambadi.
October 26, No. 440 I. (A)

Mysore-Madras Cauvery Arbitration.—Ordering that a supplementary memorial, dated 19th October 1917, received from the landholders of the Cauvery delta in the Tanjore and Trichinopoly districts in respect of the award of the — be forwarded through the Government of India for the consideration of the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India.
November 3, No. 452 I. (A)

Mysore-Madras Cauvery Arbitration.—Forwarding to the Government of India for transmission to the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State a supplementary memorial received from the landholders of the Tanjore and Trichinopoly districts in respect of the award of the —.
November 3, No. 453 I. (A)

Mysore-Madras Cauvery Arbitration case.—Forwarding for the consideration of the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India a supplementary memorial of the landholders in Trichinopoly and Tanjore districts in respect of the — through the Government of India.
November 3, Despatch No. 7 I.

Mysore-Madras Cauvery Arbitration case.—Forwarding an advance copy of Despatch No. 7 I., dated 3rd November 1917, submitting for the consideration of the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India the supplementary memorial, dated 19th October 1917, received from the landholders of Tanjore and Trichinopoly districts in respect of the award of the —
November 3, Despatch No. 8 I.

Mysore-Madras-Cauvery Arbitration.—Informing the Government of India that letter No. 453 I., dated 3rd November 1917, and annexures regarding Cauvery Landholders' memorial in the — need not be treated as confidential.
November 22, Nos. 437–38 I. (R)

Mysore-Madras Cauvery Arbitration.—Ordering that a letter be sent to the Government of India submitting the comments of this Government on Mysore Darbar's letter of the 21st June 1917 on the subject of the regulation by the Darbar of the Krishna Rajasagara reservoir at Kannambadi during the hot weather, viz., 1st February to 31st May.
December 18, Nos. 522–23 I. (A)

ARBITRATION—*cont.*

MYSORE-MADRAS CAUVERY—*cont.*

Mysore-Madras Cauvery Arbitration.—Recording a copy of notes furnished to the Private Secretary to His Excellency the Governor prepared in connexion with an interview with the Secretary of State for India by the Diwan of Mysore on the 20th December 1917.
December 28, No. 732 (G)

BANKS.

Diversion of the Coleroon right bank from 93/0 to 93/2, Cauvery division.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 10,060 for the —.
January 19, No. 25 I. (A)

Improvements to the Divi right flood-bank, Kistna district.—Informing the Accountant-General that a revised estimate for — is now under scrutiny in the office of the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
February 5, No. 33 I. (R)

Forming a new flood bank of the Kistna river.—Sanctioning the entertainment of certain sanitary establishment in connexion with the work of —, Kistna Western division.
April 3, No. 145 I. (B)

Left flood-bank of the Pennar river above the South Indian Railway Bridge, South Arcot district.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 5,000 for diverting the —.
April 30, No. 168 I. (A)

Diversion of the Kistna left flood bank from 37/0 to 40/4 mile and raising and strengthening it from 40/4 to 43/1 mile.—Informing Superintending Engineer, II Circle, that the execution of the work — will be postponed for the present and that no funds will be available for the work this year.
May 3, No. 237 (G)

Embankments.—Confirming the principles laid down in Memorandum No. 1039 C., dated 6th February 1914, to regulate the incidence of expenditure on — and approving the consolidated list of — submitted by the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
May 17, No. 190 I. (A)

"*Forming flood bank of Kistna river at Pratur.*"—Requesting the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, to see that the expenditure on the work — to end of March 1917 is regularised at an early date.
May 17, No. 178 I. (R)

Restoration of the flood banks around the Venad and Irakkam islands in the Pulicat lake, Chingleput division.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 1,03,000 for the — as a famine-relief work and ordering that the approval of the Government of India to the classification of the work as a "Minor work for which neither Capital nor Revenue accounts are kept" be obtained.
June 8, Nos. 224-25 I. (A)

Forming a new diversion bank from 3 miles 5 furlongs 60 feet to 4 miles 6 furlongs of the right flood bank of the Kistna at Pratur, Kistna Western division.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 51,900 for —.
June 28, No. 267 I. (A)

Restoration of the flood banks around the Venad and Irakkam islands in the Pulicat lake, Nellore district.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 1,03,000 for the —, for execution as a famine-relief work if required.
July 19, No. 298 I. (A)

Embankments.—Issuing addenda and corrigenda to the list of — published with G.O. No. 190 I., dated 17th May 1917.
July 25, No. 310 I. (B)

Estimate for protecting the right margin of the Kistna for 1916-17.—Communicating to the Accountant-General, Madras, report of the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, stating that he has sanctioned an estimate of Rs. 22,000 for the work.
August 13, No. 288 I. (R)

Protective works at Murungapet and Melur sets at the right and left banks of the Cauvery respectively.—Sanctioning estimates aggregating to Rs. 32,120 for constructing —.
September 11, No. 379 I. (B)

Constructing the right flood-bank of the Bhagura river in Kumiki limits, Aska taluk, Ganjām district.—Returning, approved, to Superintending Engineer, I Circle, the estimate amounting to Rs. 1,260 for sanction and execution.
September 14, No. 533 (G)

Embankments.—Issuing an erratum to the list of — published in G.O. No. 190 I., dated 17th May 1917.
September 21, No. 390 I. (B)

Delay in starting the work "Providing a flood-bank on the right side of the Teki Drain."—Recording papers regarding the —.
October 3, No. 556 (G)

Raising and strengthening the right and left flood-banks of Kistna river and forming a berm in the rear of the right flood-bank.—Approving an estimate amounting to Rs. 27,493 for — and ordering that a letter be sent to the Government of India requesting sanction to the estimate.
October 29, Nos. 445-46 I. (A)

Estimates for repairs to Pennar left and right flood embankments.—Approving the — and requesting, with remarks, to submit detailed estimates for sanction under "33. Famine relief".
November 20, No. 485 I. (B)

BANKS—*cont.*

Raising and strengthening the right and left flood banks of the Kistna river and forming a berm in rear of the right flood bank.—Communicating to the officers concerned letter from the Government of India sanctioning a supplemental estimate amounting to Rs. 27,493 for —. November 29, No. 491 I. (A)

Repairs to the embankment on the Mahanadi near Aska.—Recording question No. 63 (original No. 57) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on 20th November 1917, regarding the — and the answer given thereto. December 11, No. 511 I. (B)

Burrow pits on river bund at Polavaram.—Recording papers regarding —. December 22, No. 726 (G)

BOATS AND FERRIES.

Staff boat.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 950 for purchasing a third-class — from the Chingleput division for use on the Gōdāvari Western Delta Canals. January 15, No. 13 I. (A)

Ballacuts.—Issuing an erratum to G.O. No 425 I., dated 18th September 1916, sanctionig an estimate of Rs. 1,515 for constructing two mild steel ferry — for the Gōdāvari Western division. January 19, No. 23 I. (B)

Sitanagaram Criminal Settlement, Guntūr district.—Communicating to the Supeintending Engineer, II Circle, G.O. No. 77, Home (Judicial), dated 10th January 1917, stating that there are objections to installing a paddle boat at Sainyapuram to convey the settlers to the lanka for purposes of cultivation and that a boat and crew of regular boatmen should be hired for use by the Salvation Army during the cultivation mouths. January 20, No. 39 (G)

Motor service on the Vēdāranniyam Canal, Tanjore district.—Recording papers connected with a proposal to grant a monopoly for — and ordering that the question be dropped. February 1, No. 46 I. (A)

Boats.—Communicating to Superintending Engineers G.O. No. 2952 P., dated 20th December 1916, passing orders on the question of issue of instructions for the proper care and custody of dinghies and other — supplied to Revenue officers. February 5, No. 73 (G)

Hire for Public Works Department boats.—Issuing an addendum to rule 4 of the revised rules issued with G.O. No. 311 I., dated 2nd August 1909, regarding the —. February 23, No. 79 I. (A)

Boat.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, G.O. Mis. No. 709, Revenue, dated 8th March 1917, sanctioning the supply of a dinghy to the Deputy Tahsildar of Ponnur in the Guntur District. March 12, No. 155 (G)

Paddle boat.—Informing the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, that no charge need be levied for the — lent to the Salvation Army at Sitanagaram and stating that the boat may now be taken back. March 13, No. 156 (G)

Registration and licence forms for motor vessels plying on the West Coast canals, Malabar district.—Approving the —, submitted by the Collector of Malabar. May 10, No. 181 I. (A)

Revised type-design for a first-class staff boat.—Communicating to Superintending Engineers a — for adoption. May 30, No. 215 I. (A)

Boat.—Communicating to Superintending Engineer, II Circle, G.O. No. 1509, Revenue, dated 28th May 1917, sanctioning the supply of a nava at an increased cost of Rs. 820 for the use of the Tahsildar of Bhimavaram in the Kistna district. June 13, No. 333 (G)

Boat.—Communicating to Superintending Engineer, II Circle, with remarks, G.O. No. 1155, Home (Judicial), dated 5th June 1917, passing orders on the Inspector-General's proposal for the disposal of the pinnace now used by the Inspector of Police, Gudivada circle, and the transfer to him of the boat supplied to the Inspector of Police, Bezwada. June 15, No. 336 (G)

Boat traffic in the navigable canals of the Gōdāvari delta.—Recording papers connected with question No. 52 (original No. 49) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on 22nd May 1917 regarding the — and the answer given thereto. June 23, No. 256 I. (B)

Tolls on the West Coast canals, Malabar district.—Directing the publication of a notification in the *Fort St. George Gazette* and in the *Malabar District Gazette* prescribing the conditions for leasing out the collection of — under the Canals and Public Ferries Act. August 18, No. 342 I. (A)

Floating plant of the Buckingham canal, Chingleput division.—Recording statement showing the expenditure incurred on the repairs to the —, during 1916–17. October 8, No. 411 I. (B)

Staff-boat, Vēdāranniyam canal.—Recording the statement showing the working of the — during 1916–17. October 31, No. 447 I. (B)

Staff boat of the Buckingham canal.—Recording the statement showing the working of the — up to the end of 1916–17. November 14, No. 466 I. (B)

Staff boat of the Kurnool-Cuddapah canal.—Recording the statement showing the working of the — up to the end of 1916–17. November 14, No. 467 I. (B)

BOATS AND FERRIES—*cont.*

Staff boat of the Kistna Delta system.—Recording the statement showing the working of the — up to the end of 1916-17. November 14, No. 468 I. (B)

Constructing two new barges of 90 feet.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 18,600 for — for use in the Gōdāvari Head Works division. November 16, No. 476 I. (B)

Statement showing the cost of repairs to the floating plant of the Gōdāvari Western division during 1916-17.—Recording with remarks the —. November 16, No. 483 I. (B)

Floating plant in the Kurnool-Cuddapah canal.—Recording the statement showing the cost of repairs done to the — during 1916-17. November 23, No. 488 I. (B)

Floating plant.—Recording with remarks the statement showing the cost of repairs done to the — of the Kistna Delta and Divi-Pumping system during 1916-17. November 29, No. 490 I. (B)

Buckingham canal, Chingleput division.—Passing orders on the letter of Superintending Engineer explaining the delay to carry out instructions for arranging a trial trip to test the navigability of the — and directing that a barge which is in Madras should be sent to Chinnaganjām and back and the result of the trip reported, and that the deepening of the canal in the northern portion should be carried out. November 30, No. 671 (G)

Staff boat No. 135, Gōdāvari Head Works division.—Approving the proposal to charge a monthly rent of Rs. 20 for the use of the —. December 1, No. 494 I. (B)

Staff boat used for the office records and establishment of Mr. Connell employed on special duty.—Approving the proposal of the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, to debit to office contingencies the monthly rent and haulage charges of the — and stating that the travelling allowance of the establishment using the boat will be regulated by article No. 999 (1)-(A) of the Civil Service Regulations. December 8, No. 510 I. (B)

Inspection of light-houses in Nellore and Chingleput districts.—Informing the Presidency Port officer that a boat is available with the Executive Engineer, Chingleput division, which can be used by him for —. December 10, No. 704 (G)

Staff boats of the Gōdāvari delta system, I Circle.—Recording the statement showing the working of the — for the year 1916-17. December 18, No. 521 I. (B)

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Improvements to the bridge over the Shatiatope Regulator, South Arcot district.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 4,400 for —. April 18, No. 151 I. (B)

BUDGET.

Finance Committee and the Budget debates of 1916.—Recording notes connected with the extract of pamphlet showing further action on the suggestions made in the — which were brought up to date and returned to Financial on 11th January 1917. January 16, No. 30 (G)

Budget estimate of revenue and expenditure for 1917-18.—Approving and forwarding to the Government of India the preliminary issue of the — under the "Imperial, Provincial and Divided" heads. January 20, Nos. 29-30 I. (A)

Second edition of the Budget Estimate for 1917-18.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineers the — under the Provincial and Divided heads. March 3, No 83 I. (R)

Report and Proceedings of the Finance Committee during 1917.—Recording notes connected with the —. March 6, No. 143 (G)

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Civil Budget Estimate.—Recording G.O. No. 161, Financial, dated 15th March 1917, regarding telegram from the Government of India, Finance Department, dated 10th March 1917, communicating their final orders on the second edition of the — for 1917-18 under major heads other than those which are wholly Imperial. April 26, No. 220 (G)

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Final issues of Public Works Budget estimates.—Recording letter from the Deputy Comptroller-General stating that 16 copies of the — may be supplied to him in future —. August 29, No. 502 (G)

Financial position under the several heads of Revenue and Expenditure.—Forwarding to the Accountant-General a note showing the — during 1917-18. October 15, No. 594 (G)

Six-monthly estimates for 1917-18.—Forwarding to the Government of India a copy of the proceedings reviewing the Accountant-General's —. November 16, Nos. 421-22 I. (R)

Schedule of demands under "49".—Forwarding to the Government of India the — for expenditure during 1918-19. November 16, Nos. 479-80 I. (A)

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Schedule of demands under "35. Construction of Protective Irrigation works".—Forwarding to the Government of India the — for expenditure during 1918–19.
November 16, Nos. 481–82 I. (A)

Retrenchment of public expenditure.—Recording G.O. No. 711, Financial, dated 2nd November 1917, recording letter from the Government of India, regarding the principles to be observed in preparing the budget estimates for 1918–19 in connexion with the —
November 23, No. 668 (G)

Drainage of the Gōdāvari delta and the Kolair and the construction of village roads in the delta.—Recording copy of notes furnished to Financial on the suggestion of the Hon'ble Mr. K. R. V. Krishna Rao Pantulu made in connexion with the ensuing Finance Committee regarding the provision of adequate funds in the budget estimate for 1918–19 for improvements to the —.
December 8, No. 703 (G)

Six-monthly estimates.—Recording G.O. No. 754, Financial, dated 20th November 1917, recording the — for 1917–18 submitted by the Accountant-General. December 13, No. 712 (G)

BUILDINGS.

Overseer's shed at Sitanagaram, II Circle.—Recording papers relating to a proposal to transfer the — to the Local Fund Department. January 18, No. 21 I. (A)

Inspection bungalow at Tittagudi, South Arcot division.—Approving the data statement for calculating the rent for the —.
January 20, No. 26 I. (B)

Suddapalli posthouse at 136 miles, 73 chains of the Kurnool-Cuddapah canal.—Passing orders on the subject of dismantling the —.
January 31, No. 42 I. (A)

Resthouse at Bobberlanka, Gōdāvari Head works division.—Passing orders on the disposal of the —.
January 31, No. 44 I. (A)

Post-house at Baiyanapalli at 168 miles, 47 chains of the Kurnool-Cuddapah canal.—Sanctioning the demolition of the —.
February 2, No. 51 I. (A)

Rest-house at Kalidindi.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, G.O. Mis. No. 301, Revenue, sanctioning the sale of the — to the Madura Taluk Board.
February 7, No. 76 (G)

Disposal of the inspection bungalow at Avanigedda.—Approving, with remarks, the proposals of the Executive Engineer, Kistna Central division, in regard to the —. February 8, No. 55 I. (A)

Driver's quarters at Thekkady, Periyar system.—Approving an estimate of Rs. 30 for special repairs to the —.
February 12, No. 62 I. (B)

Regulator Superintendent's quarters at Thotapalli, Nagavalli river system, Vizagapatam division.—Directing that the arrears of rent in respect of the — be waived.
February 13, No. 66 I. (B)

Dam Superintendent's quarters at Periyar, Madura district.—According administrative approval to the Superintending Engineer's proposal to carry out certain repairs to the — at an estimated cost of Rs. 60.
March 2, No. 92 I. (B)

Lock bungalow at Bezwada.—Recording G.O. No. 129 W., dated 22nd January 1917, according sanction to the transfer of the — from Imperial to Provincial and approving the proposal to adopt the — as an office of the Executive Engineer, Kistna Central division.
March 13, No. 162 (G)

Assistant Superintendent's quarters at the Grand Anicut, Cauvery division.—According sanction to the demolition of the —.
March 20, No. 118 I. (B)

Quarters for the two overseers employed on gauging operations at the Upper Anicut, Cauvery Delta system.—According administrative approval to the proposal to construct —.
May 1, No. 171 I. (B)

Buildings.—Approving the proposal to demolish certain — connected with the Pālār Anicut system, North Arcot division, and dispose of the materials by public auction.
May 19, No. 196 I. (B)

Rent.—According sanction to the recovery of — at the rate of Rs. 2–8–0 per mensem for the occupation of the engine driver's quarters a temporary structure at Mopad.
May 30, No. 216 I. (B)

Government offices in the Madras City.—Recording G.O. No. 511 W., dated 11th April 1917, recording papers relating to the grouping and concentration of important —.
May 30, No. 306 (G)

Public Works Department buildings at Bezwada.—Recording G.O. No. 682 W., dated 21st May 1917, passing orders on the allocation of certain —. June 7, No. 323 (G)

Inspection bungalow at Ramapatam, Chingleput division.—Approving, with remarks, the data statement for calculating rent for the —.
June 11, No. 231 I. (B)

BUILDINGS—*cont.*

Buildings.—Stating that in consideration of the very exceptional circumstances of the case the Government agree to the transfer of the Public Works Department — at Thekkady, Madura division, to the Postal department without recovery of the original cost and the centage charges thereon. June 13, No. 233 I. (A)

Sub-letting of residences.—Recording G.O. No. 655 W., dated 16th May 1917, directing that the — permitted in paragraph 3 of G.O. No. 811 W., dated 26th May 1916, should be subject to the condition that the rent to be charged by the officer to his tenant should not, except with the sanction of Government, exceed the rent paid by the officer to Government. June 25, No. 352 (G)

Building.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, G.O. Mis. No 1784, Revenue, dated 19th June 1917, directing the transfer of the rest-house in Kallandri in the Madura district, together with the site on which it stands from "Imperial" to "Provincial." July 5, No. 375 (G).

Resthouse at Kallandri.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, G.O. No. 166, Financial, dated 27th June 1917, directing that the sum of Rs. 2,939 for which the — was sold to the Madura Taluk Board should be credited to Imperial by a minus entry under "49. Capital outlay on irrigation works, a corresponding debit being made to "43. Civil Works — Public Works Department—Provincial" and that the receipts from the Taluk Board be credited to the head "XXXI—Civil Works—Public Works Department—Provincial." July 10, No. 392 (G)

Apothecary's quarters No. 2 on Jail Hill.—Recording Public Works Memorandum No. 415, dated 8th August 1917, allotting — to R. Venkatarama Ayyar, typist, Public Works Department, Irrigation, with effect from the date on which S. Rangadhama Rao of the Home Department vacated the —. August 23, No. 478 (G)

Government quarters at Ootacamund to be assigned to each department.—Recording Chief Engineer, Public Works Department Memorandum No. 5022 C., dated 9th August 1917, issuing certain instructions to be observed when calculating the number of —. August 23, No. 480 (G)

Government quarters at Ootacamund.—Recording Public Works Department Memorandum No. 426 D., dated 13th August 1917, issuing instructions in regard to the occupation of the — by members of the families of the menial establishments of the Secretariats during the off-season. August 29, No. 503 (G)

Capital and revenue accounts of residential buildings pertaining to irrigation in the Madras Presidency during the year 1916–17.—Recording the report and the review on the financial results of the — and ordering that a copy of the proceedings be forwarded to the Government of India. September 11, Nos. 376–77 I. (A)

Data statement for the calculation of rent of the inspection-bungalow at Avanigedda, Kistna Central division.—Approving the —. September 11, No. 378 I. (B)

Watcher's shed at the head of the Kampli channel, Bellary division.—Sanctioning an expenditure of Rs. 15 chargeable to the capital account of the —. September 21, No. 391 I. (B)

Repairs to revenue buildings.—Recording G.O. No. 1164 W., dated 7th September 1917, stating that G.O. No. 1798 W., dated 30th November 1916, is not applicable to the execution of — which provide accommodation for offices of other departments. October 8, No. 569 (G)

Data statement for the calculation of rent for the Dam Superintendent's quarters at Periyar, Madura division.—Approving the —. October 25, No. 435 I. (B)

Data statement for calculation of rent for the quarters of the Assistant Mechanic at Divi converted into Subdivisional officer's quarters, Kistna Central division.—Approving the —. November 6, No. 458 I. (B)

Municipal taxes.—Recording G.O. No. 1314 W., dated 18th October 1917, directing that in future — on residential buildings borne on the registers of the Public Works Department should be paid by the Public Works Department. November 6, No. 630 (G)

Buildings.—Recording G.O No. 1435 W., dated 10th November 1917, directing heads of departments to guard against the creation of any adverse easement rights or rights-of-way over Government — in their charge. November 17, No. 652 (G)

Application for exemption from payment of rent under paragraph 919, *rule II (b) of the Public Works Department Code.*—Recording G.O. No. 1465 W., dated 17th November 1917, informing officers of the department that — should be carefully scrutinized and recommended to Government only in case where the intention of the rule is satisfied. December 5, No. 693 (G)

Inspection bungalow at Dowlaishwaram.—According sanction to the temporary occupation of the — by Mr. M. K. Ranganadham, Assistant Engineer. December 27, No. 529 I. (B)

CANALS AND CHANNELS.

Narasapur channel, Vizagapatam division.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 9,700 for improvements to the — for execution as a part contribution work. January 6, No. 2 I. (A)

New side (Rajan) channel from above the Pandi regulator across the Markakorayar, Cauvery delta system.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 13,500 for "works" for excavating a —. January 6, No. 3 I. (A)

Damage to lands, etc., caused by the cutting of breaches in the Ryves canal, Kistna district.—Sanctioning the payment to certain ryots of Mantena, Nuzvid taluk, of a sum of Rs. 387-0-4 being compensation for —. January 8, No. 4 I. (A)

Perunagar tank supply channel, Chingleput division.—Sanctioning a revised estimate of Rs. 15,060 for improvements and repairs to the —. January 19, No. 22 I. (A)

Motor service on the Vedaranniyam canal, Tanjore district.—Recording papers connected with a proposal to grant a monopoly for —, and ordering that the question be dropped. February 1, No. 46 I. (A)

Lock and regulator at 7 miles, 2 furlongs, 460 feet of the Kakaraparru Canal, Gōdāvari Western delta.—Approving and forwarding for the sanction of the Government of India an estimate of Rs. 53,923 for the construction of a —. February 1, Nos. 47–48 I. (A)

Diverting a portion of Villiambakkam river channel in Palur limits, Chingleput division.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 3,400 for—. February 9, No. 58 I. (A)

Reconstruction of the sluice at 14 miles 32½ chains on the right bank of Dosapad channel, Kistna Delta system.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 1,170 for the —. February 10, No. 60 I. (A)

Improvements to the approach to the calingulah at 61 miles 13 chains of the Kurnool-Cuddapah canal.—Communicating to the officers concerned the sanction of the Government of India to the revised estimate of Rs. 55,148 for —. February 13, No. 64 I. (A)

Vedaranniyam canal.—Forwarding to the Financial and the Legislative Departments copy of demi-official letter addressed to the Hon'ble Mr. K. Chidambaranadha Mudaliyar replying to certain enquiries made by him in the Finance Committee of 1916 on the subject of improving the —. February 15, No. 89 (G)

Buckingham canal, Chingleput division.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 1,010 for acquiring land in the east bank of the — between 121/7 and Pyderu south lock. February 21, No. 74 I. (A)

Periodical closure of channels for second crop irrigation in the Gōdāvari Delta.—Recording question No. 94 (original No. 160) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on 6th February 1917, regarding—and the answer given thereto. February 22, No. 78 I. (B)

Constructing a masonry bridge of four spans at mile 21/3 of the Kalingarayan channel, Coimbatore division.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 2,800 for —. February 23, No. 80 I. (A)

Earlier closure of the fifth reach of the Amalapur canal, Gōdāvari Central delta.—Recording, with remarks, the correspondence regarding the — on the 10th February 1917 instead of on the 15th April 1917 as originally notified. March 2, No. 91 I. (B)

Improvements to the Tunivada channel, Vizagapatam division.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 4,200 for the —. March 2, No. 94 I. (B)

Improvements to the Musiri Nattuvoikal system, Trichinopoly district.—Approving the proposal of the Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, in regard to the — and calling on him to submit detailed plans and estimates. March 21, No. 120 I. (A)

Improvements to the Kudithepalem channel, Penner River Canals system, Nellore district.—Sanctioning a revised estimate of Rs. 1,410 for —. March 22, No. 123 I. (B)

Closure of the Dummagudem canal.—Recording papers relating to the postponement of the — till 25th March 1917. March 26, No. 185 (G)

Buckingham canal.—Recording papers relating to the question of rendering the — more efficient for navigation in view of the difficulties of railway traffic. March 26, No. 186 (G)

Wyacondan channel, Trichinopoly division.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 11,000 for improvements to the head-sluice of the —. March 27, No. 130 I. (A)

Restoration of the Jambai channel, Tirukkoyilūr taluk, South Arcot district.—Sanctioning a second revised estimate of Rs. 15,600 for the —. April 4, No. 146 I. (A)

Construction of an overhead line from Binny Mills Sub-Station along the bank of the Otteri Nallah.—Permitting the — by the Madras Electric Supply Corporation with certain deviation from the original line sanctioned in G.O. No. 455 I., dated 2nd October 1915, and subject to certain conditions. April 18, No. 152 I. (B)

Silambakkam spring channel, Chingleput district.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 7,396 for clearing silt in the —. April 23, No. 155 I. (A)

Closure of channels for second crop irrigation in Gōdāvari Eastern delta.—Recording correspondence connected with a communication from the Gōdāvari District Association bringing to notice certain grievances about the —. April 27, No. 163 I. (B)

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Remodelling the Tossipudi North Side Channel, Gōdāvari Eastern delta.—Approving an estimate of Rs. 69,170 for — and forwarding it to the Government of India for sanction. May 10, Nos. 183-84 I. (A)

Canals of the Gōdāvari Western delta.—Recording question No. 25 (original No. 21) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 2nd April 1917 regarding the keeping open of the — till the 15th May and the answer given thereto. May 17, No. 191 I. (B)

Reopening of canals in Gōdāvari Central delta.—Approving the Superintending Engineer's action in having ordered the postponement of the date of — till 18th May 1917. May 23, No. 278 (G)

Reconstructing the Thenpalai anicut across the Varahanadhi river and excavating a supply channel to Thenpalai tank (Imperial No. 68), South Arcot district.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 14,640 for —. May 28, No. 209 I. (B)

Buckingham and Vēdāranniyam canals.—Recording question No. 116 asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on 22nd May 1917 and the answer given thereto regarding the —. May 29, No. 213 I. (A)

Improvements to the Nellikuppam jungle stream and the southern channel of the Poiney Anicut system.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 10,171 for —. May 31, No. 217 I. (A)

Constructing a dam at the head of the Pulikalva taking off from the Swarnamukhi river, Nellore district.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 14,500 for —. June 5, No. 221 I. (A)

Constructing a flight of steps at 17 miles 0 furlong 85 feet on the right bank of the Gannavaram canal near Gopalpur village, Gōdāvari Eastern division.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 150 for — in supersession of the one sanctioned in G.O. No. 209 I., dated 17th May 1916. June 5, No. 222 I. (A)

Improvements to the Kaluvankandarai outlet in the Wyacondan channel, Trichinopoly district.—Sanctioning a revised estimate of Rs. 1,970 for —. June 13, No. 232 I. (B)

Construction of a culvert across the B branch of the Ichchapur channel by the Berhampur municipality.—According sanction to the —. June 14, No. 235 I. (B)

Improvements to the Vadamalayan channel, Nanguneri taluk, Tinnevelly district.—Sanctioning a revised estimate of Rs. 5,600 for —. June 15, No. 236 I. (B)

Remodelling of distributaries in the Gōdāvari delta.—Recording notes connected with question No. 10 (original No. 13) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on 22nd May 1917 regarding the — and the answer given thereto. June 15, No. 238 I. (A)

Silt clearance in the Vēdāranniyam canal, Tanjore district, during 1917–18.—Forwarding to the Accountant-General, Madras, the letter from the President, Tanjore District Board, communicating a copy of the District Board's resolution allotting a sum of Rs. 3,100 towards the cost of —. June 15, No. 334 (G)

Improvements to the Buckingham canal.—Recording the note by the Chief Engineer for Irrigation on the suggestions made by the Collector of Kistna for effecting certain — in order to encourage the use of the canal as a means of transport during the war and forwarding a copy of the note together with a copy of G.O. No. 66 I., dated 7th March 1910, to the Collector for information. June 18, No. 240 I. (A)

Clearing the Buckingham canal of silt.—Recording question No. 12 (original No. 71) asked by the Hon'ble Rao Bahadur S. R. M. Annamalai Chettiyar Avargal at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on 6th February 1917 about — and the answer given thereto. June 20, No. 245 I. (A)

Buckingham and Vēdāranniyam canals.—Passing orders on the subject of providing facilities for navigation in the — with reference to Resolution No. XXIX moved by the Hon'ble Mr. K. Chidambaranatha Mudaliyar at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on 14th March 1917. June 23, No. 252 I. (A)

Restoration of the Kinnivattan channel in the Chingleput district.—Recording papers connected with certain questions asked at the meetings of the Legislative Council held on the 2nd April and 22nd May 1917 regarding the — and the answers given thereto. June 23, No. 254 I. (B)

Channels in the Gōdāvari delta.—Approving the arrangements made in regard to the internal management by ryots of certain — and sanctioning the grant of funds to the private bodies concerned for the upkeep of the channels. June 25, No. 258 I. (A)

Re-modelling the Donepudi block, Kistna Western delta.—Approving an estimate amounting to Rs. 27,190 for — and forwarding it to the Government of India for sanction. June 26, Nos. 260-61 I. (A)

Remodelling the Tossipudi North side channel, Gōdāvari eastern delta.—Communicating to the officers concerned the sanction of the Government of India to the estimate amounting to Rs. 69,170 for —. July 2, No. 270 I. (A)

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Improvements to the Lawford's Straight-Cut, Cauvery Delta system.—Approving and forwarding, to the Government of India for sanction an estimate amounting to Rs. 2,14,056 for —. July 12, Nos. 290-91 I. (A)

Field bodhies.—Passing orders on the system of according compensation for land for — acquired under Act I of 1894. July 20, No. 300 I. (A)

Improvements to the Buckingham canal from Adayar to Papanchavadi, Chingleput district.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 29,160 for —. July 23, No. 301 I. (A)

Channels in the Gōdāvari delta handed over to private management.—Communicating to Superintending Engineer, II Circle, B.P. Mis. No. 1693, dated 22nd July 1917, informing the Collector of Kistna that the sale-proceeds of the grass and the usufruct of the trees on the bunds of the — should be placed at the disposal of the panchayats in addition to the grants made in money for their maintenance. August 6, No. 441 (G)

Constitution of an Advisory Board for the management of the Marudur Nattuvoikal, Kulittalai taluk, Trichinopoly district.—Approving, with remarks, the rules for the — and requesting the Collector to submit in consultation with the Superintending Engineer a report at the end of two years as to how the Board has been working during that period. August 10, No. 335 I. (A).

Construction of drops and notches in the channels of the Gōdāvari Eastern and Central deltas.—Recording papers connected with the submission of the report regarding the — which have been proposed to be taken up during the past dry season and for the current financial year. August 23, No. 485 (G)

Reconstructing the road-culvert across the Kunnathur channel, Chembarambakkam tank system.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 1,640 for — in the limits of Tirunageswaram village, Saidapet taluk, Chingleput district. August 30, No. 362 I. (B)

Repairs and improvements to the Korakkavadikulam tank and supply channel, South Arcot district.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 10,605 for —. September 3, No. 367 I. (B)

Ogalur tank supply channel, Trichinopoly district.—Sanctioning a revised estimate amounting to Rs. 28,000 for improvements and repairs to the —. September 4, No. 370 I. (A)

Constructing a retaining wall at the right side of the Palayam channel, Tinnevelly district.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 3,268 for — as a full contribution work. September 11, No. 381 I. (B)

Restoration of the Panchamadevi channel head.—Communicating to Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, G.O. No. 2695, Revenue, dated 1st September 1917, recording correspondence relating to the — and the provision of separate heads for the Karur and Panchamadevi channels. September 11, No. 516 (G)

Minor distributary from No. I distributary of the Mahanadi canal, Rushikulya system.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 3,960 for excavating a — for the irrigation of lands of Benaputi village, Goomsur taluk, Ganjām district. September 21, No. 392 I. (B)

Floating plant of the Vēdāranniyam canal, Vennār division.—Recording the statement showing the expenditure incurred on repairs to the — during 1916-17. September 22, No. 394 I. (B)

Improvements to the Cauvery right bank from the Pugalur channel head at 0/6 to 12/0 mile and from the Nerur channel head at 19/3 to 20/2.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 1,06,600 for —. September 25, No. 398 I. (A)

Excavation of a new supply channel to Karpandi tank, Polur taluk, North Arcot district.—Sanctioning, with remarks, an estimate amounting to Rs. 6,700 for the —. September 26, No. 400 I. (A)

Gostanadhi and Velpur canal, Gōdāvari Western delta.—Approving the proposal to close the — for three months from 1st March 1918. October 16, No. 424 I. (B)

Defective distribution of water-supply in the Wyacondan channel, Trichinopoly taluk.—Recording papers connected with petitions received from mirasdars holding lands under Wyakondan channel regarding the —. October 16, No. 595 (G)

Silt clearance in the Buckingham canal.—Recording papers connected with the petition from the residents of Covelong regarding the —. October 17, No. 597 (G)

Irrigation cess fund.—Recording G.O. Press No. 3099, Revenue, dated 2nd October 1917, passing orders on the Board's report regarding the deficit in the — of Vangal channel in the Karur taluk of the Trichinopoly district and sanctioning the enhancement of the existing rates of cess levied in respect of the channel. October 22, No. 612 (G)

Silampakam spring channel, Chingleput district.—Recording, with remarks, the Collector's letter reporting that the necessary agreement in connexion with the clearance of silt in — has been obtained from the ryots concerned. October 25, No. 436 I. (B)

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Improvements to Karenchedu block, Commamur canal, Kistna Western delta.—Approving an estimate amounting to Rs. 19,585 for — and forwarding it to the Government of India for sanction. October 26, Nos. 441–42 I. (A)

Improvements to the Godilanka channel, Gōdāvari delta system.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 3,274 for the —, Gōdāvari Eastern delta. October 29, No. 444 I. (B)

Closure and re-opening of canals in the Gōdāvari Western delta during 1918.—Approving the dates proposed for the —. October 31, No. 449 I. (B)

Agreement.—Recording letter from the Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, submitting copy of the — executed by the South Indian Railway Company for water taken from the Wyakondan channel, Trichinopoly district. November 1, No. 450 I. (B)

Fixing pipes in masonry in Chivalur channel, Bank canal, Kistna delta system.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 1,519 for —, Kistna Western division. November 2, No. 451 I. (B)

Bathing ghat in continuation of the existing one on the right bank of the Wyakondan channel.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 4,308 for constructing a — in the municipal limits of Trichinopoly town, Trichinopoly division. November 5, No. 455 I. (B)

Closure and reopening of canals in the Gōdāvari district during 1918.—Approving the dates proposed by the Superintending Engineer, I Circle, for the —. November 15, No. 474 I. (B)

Silt clearance in Buckingham canal.—Recording notes connected with the —. November 17, No. 654 (G)

Lock and regulator at mile 7–2–460 of the Kakarraparru canal, Gōdāvari Western delta.—Communicating to the officers concerned letter from the Government of India approving of the commencement during next financial year of work on the construction of a —. November 20, No. 484 I. (B)

Constructing a suction dredger for the Buckingham canal.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 12,000 for —. November 20, No. 486 I. (B)

Kudimaramat system.—Communicating to Superintending Engineers G.O. Press No. 3485, Revenue, dated 5th November 1917, passing orders on the report of the Board of Revenue regarding the working of the — in this Presidency. November 20, No. 664 (G)

Buckingham canal, Chingleput division.—Passing orders on the letter of the Superintending Engineer explaining the delay to carry out instructions in arranging for a trial trip to test the navigability of the — and directing that a barge which is in Madras should be sent to Chinnaganjam and back and the result of the trip reported and that the deepening of the canal in the northern portion should be carried out. November 30, No. 671 (G)

Report on the investigation of agricultural practices in Godavari Western delta.—Recording papers connected with the —. November 30, No. 679 (G)

Silt clearance in the Wyakondan channel, Trichinopoly district.—Recording, with remarks, question No. 16 (original No. 13) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on 20th November 1917 regarding — and the answer given thereto. December 3, No. 496 I. (B)

Restoration of Kinnivatan channel, Chingleput district.—Recording question No. 210 (original No. 215) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 20th November 1917 regarding the — and the answer given thereto. December 3, No. 501 I. (B)

New head sluice to the Wyakondan channel, Trichinopoly district.—Recording notes connected with question No. 15 (original No. 12) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on 20th November 1917 regarding — and the answer given thereto. December 3, No. 502 I (B)

Traffic in the Buckingham and Vedaranniyam canals.—Recording, with remarks, question No. 222 (original No. 232) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 20th November 1917 regarding — and the answer given thereto. December 4, No. 503 I. (B)

Closure of canals in the Kistna Western delta during 1918.—Approving, with remarks, the dates proposed by the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, for the —. December 5, No. 504 I. (B)

Closure and reopening of canals in the Kistna Eastern delta during 1918.—Approving the date proposed by the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, for the —. December 5, No. 506 I. (B)

Funds for the upkeep of certain channels in the Gōdāvari delta transferred to the ryots concerned for management.—Communicating to Superintending Engineers, I and II Circles, G.O. Mis. No. 3804, Revenue, dated 28th November 1917, regarding —. December 6, No. 695 (G)

Deputy Tahsildar, Paramati.—Communicating to Superintending Engineers, IV and VI Circles, G.O. No. 3307, Revenue, considering that the river channels in the Namakkal taluk, Salem district, may continue to be under the control of the Revenue Department and that the post of — should be maintained. December 11, No. 710 (G)

CANALS AND CHANNELS—*cont.*

Improvements to Kovvur-Manjair junction canal, Gōdāvari Eastern delta.—Approving an estimate of Rs. 1,61,126 for the scheme of — and forwarding the same to the Government of India for sanction. December 13, Nos. 513–14 I. (A)

Irrigation work.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, I Circle, G.O. No. 3814, Revenue, dated 29th November 1917, passing orders on the proposal of the Board of Revenue for the execution of an agreement by the Raja of Bobbili in connexion with the construction of an iron pipe aqueduct to convey the water of Meraki Batti across the Singinadam channel in Ganjām district. December 14, No. 715 (G)

Improvements to the Karenchedu block, Commamur canal, Kistna Western delta.—Communicating to the officers concerned letter from the Government of India according sanction to the estimate amounting to Rs. 19,585 for —. December 15, No. 517 I. (A)

Buckingham canal.—Recording correspondence relating to the question of improving the financial position of the —. December 17, No. 717 (G)

Supply of water for second crop, Kistna Eastern delta.—Recording communication from the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, regarding the arrangements made by the Collector of Kistna for — under certain channels as a special case during fasli 1327. December 17, No. 520 I. (B)

CODES AND RULES.

Travancore Arms Regulation.—Issuing an erratum to G.O. No. 598 I., dated 20th December 1916, regarding exemption of explosives imported by this Government from the —. January 23, No. 32 I. (A)

Audit rules and powers of sanction.—Recording G.O. No. 727, Financial, dated 12th December 1916, recording resolution of the Government of India making an amendment in the —. January 26, No. 49 (G)

Navigation rules for the West Coast canals, Malabar district.—Confirming, with remarks, the — ordered to be published in G.O. No. 444 I., dated 9th October 1916. January 29, No. 36 I. (A)

Memorial rules.—Recording G.O. No. 28, Home (Miscellaneous), dated 12th January 1917, stating that the Secretary of State has ruled that the — do not apply to memorials affecting appointments made by His Majesty the King-Emperor and that the Governor in Council is authorized to use his discretion in forwarding any such memorials to the Secretary of State. January 29, No. 56 (G)

Audit rules.—Recording G.O. No. 76, Financial, dated 7th February 1917, recording resolution of the Government of India making certain amendments in the —. March 9, No. 150 (G)

Navigation rules.—Issuing an erratum to G.O. No. 36 I., dated 29th January 1917, regarding the — for the West Coast canals. March 15, No. 106 I. (B)

Navigation rules.—Directing the publication of a notification in the *Fort St. George Gazette* amending rule 44 of the — for the East Coast canals framed under section 16 of the Canals and Public Ferries Act II of 1890. March 23, No. 125 I. (A)

Prosecution for infringement of the Navigation rules.—Informing the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, that there is no objection to the — of Abdul Wahab Sahib of Nidadavole. March 28, No. 192 (G)

Navigation rules.—Directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of a notification making certain alterations in the — approved in G.O. No. 486 I., dated 13th June 1899. May 7, No. 178 I. (A)

Navigation rules for the West Coast canals, Malabar district.—Issuing an erratum to G.O. No. 444 I., dated 9th October 1916, regarding —. May 14, No. 187 I. (B)

Navigation rules for the West Coast canals, Malabar district.—Directing the publication of a notification making certain amendments in the — confirmed in G.O. No. 36 I., dated 29th January 1917. May 16, No. 188 I. (A)

Government Servants' Conduct Rules.—Recording G.O. No. 372, Home (Miscellaneous), dated 10th April 1917, issuing instructions directing that no Government servant should become a member of a 'Round Table' group in India. May 21, No. 261 (G)

Navigation rules.—Directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of a notification regarding the insertion of a new rule 15-A in the —. May 24, No. 205 I. (A)

Navigation rules.—Stating that the alteration proposed by the Executive Engineer, Chingleput division, to rule 51 of the — regarding place and time of repairs to vessels is considered unnecessary and that such altered rules would not be in order even if otherwise desirable. June 6, No. 223 I. (A)

Navigation rules.—Ordering, with remarks, that a notification be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette* amending rule 24 of the —. July 2, No. 271 I. (A)

CODES AND RULES—*cont.*

Gannavaram aqueduct, Gōdāvari Eastern delta.—Directing, with remarks, the publication of a notification embodying certain special rules for the control of traffic at the —.
July 5, No. 276 I. (A)

Madras Cyclone Code.—Recording G.O. No. 258, Public (Marine), dated 2nd June 1917, approving the draft notification submitted by the Presidency Port Officer regarding amendment of paragraph 5 of the — and directing its publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette.*
July 6, No. 379 (G)

Rules for patrolling the Kistna flood banks during floods.—Approving certain —.
July 10, No. 287 I. (A)

Navigation rules.—Directing the publication of a notification making certain amendments to rule 34, —, regarding the loading of vessels using the northern portion of the Buckingham canal.
July 19, No. 297 I. (A)

Rules for the regulation, distribution and registering of supply of water in the Kistna deltas.—Approving the — and directing that the rules be published in the District Gazettes of Kistna and Guntūr districts.
July 27, No. 313 I. (A)

Rules regulating Secretariat procedure in dealing with Legislative Council questions.—Recording G.O. No. 59, L. & M. (Legislative), dated 20th July 1917, recording notes relating to the addition of a rule in the — in regard to the publication of statements furnished in reply to questions.
September 3, No. 507 (G)

Water-cess.—Communicating to Superintending Engineers of Circles G.O. No. 2487, Revenue, dated 11th August 1917, confirming the rules for the levy of — for water irregularly taken to any land for purposes of irrigation.
September 3, No. 511 (G)

Board's Standing Order No. 4.—Communicating to Superintending Engineers, I and II Circles, G.O. No. 2381, Revenue, dated 4th August 1917, publishing draft amendments to Appendix I to — regarding water-rate.
September 11, No. 517 (G)

Madras Hill Allowance Code.—Recording G.O. No. 565, Financial, dated 28th August 1917, directing that in cases in which clerks bring their families to Ootacamund for the school vacation of their children from schools outside Madras they will be allowed to claim only the difference between the fare from the school to Madras and that from the school to Ootacamund.
September 28, No. 543 (G)

Dress regulations.—Recording G.O. No. 1041, Home (Miscellaneous), dated 7th September 1917, recording letter from the Government of India requesting that civil officers holding appointments in which the use of uniform is prescribed may be informed that they will not be expected to purchase uniform during the war, but that officers possessing uniform should continue to wear it on occasions on which uniform is ordered.
September 28, No. 545 (G)

Penalty for making breaches to drain lands.—Issuing instructions for dealing with cases in which breaches are made in canals and channels for drainage and irrigation purposes.
October 2, No. 553 (G)

Travelling allowance of families of persons moving with the Government.—Recording notes connected with G.O. No. 606, Financial, dated 19th September 1917, stating further the rule "that — will not be paid unless the journey is made within fourteen days of the establishment of the head-quarters at Ootacamund" would be strictly enforced unless proper reasons are put forth why the journey could not be so performed.
October 9, No. 574 (G)

Board's Standing Order No. 4.—Communicating G.O. No. 2985, Revenue, dated 24th September 1917, ordering certain amendments to the — regarding the levy of water-rate on dry land.
October 10, No. 579 (G)

Rules for the regulation of water in the Nellore and Sangam deltas of Penner River Canals system.—Approving certain —.
October 12, No. 420 I. (A)

Rules 4 and 25 of the Madras Hill Allowance Code.—Recording G.O. No. 654, Financial, dated 6th October 1917, altering the — and sanctioning the enhanced scale of allowance to continue as long as the present enhanced railway fares are in force.
October 15, No. 588 (G)

Irregular irrigation.—Recording Board's Proceedings stating that the orders about the inspection of — issued in G.O. No. 111 I., dated 19th March 1917, apply throughout the Gōdāvari and Kistna deltas.
October 17, No. 425 I. (B)

Navigation Rules.—Informing the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, that as regard the prosecution of Mr. Abdul Wahab Sahib of Nidadavole the remedy lies in the strict enforcement of Rule 44 of the — and that in gross cases the syrang may be prosecuted under section 17 of the Canal and Public Ferries Act of 1890.
October 17, No. 600 (G)

Indian defence force.—Recording G.O. No. 1178, Public, dated 22nd September 1917, directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of the regulations issued by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief regarding the institution and embodiment of general service units in the —.
October 17, No. 601 (G)

CODES AND RULES—*cont.*

Board's Standing Order No. 4.—Communicating G.O. No. P. 2984, Revenue, dated 24th September 1917, publishing a notification for the amendment of the rules appearing in the various sections of appendix 1 to — regarding the levy of enhanced water-rates for irregular irrigation. October 17, No. 602 (G)

Hill Allowance Code.—Recording G.O. No. 635, Financial, dated 1st October 1917, stating that a clerk or menial servant who proceeds with the head of his office on tour after the arrival of the Government at Ootacamund and returns to that station on the termination of the tour is allowed to draw hill allowance in addition to travelling allowance during the period; but if a clerk or menial servant does not return to Ootacamund after the tour, hill allowance will cease from the date of departure for Ootacamund. October 22, No. 613 (G)

Periyar water-rate rules.—Communicating G.O. P. No. 3296, Revenue, dated 22nd October 1917, regarding the — to the Superintending Engineer, VI Circle. October 26, No. 620 (G)

Audit rules.—Recording G.O. No. 664, Financial, dated 11th October 1917, recording resolution of the Government of India, Finance Department, No. 1237-E.B., dated 28th September 1917, makin certain amendments to Rule III (2) and (3) in the audit resolution of the Finance Department No. 368-Gl. (E.A.), dated 15th March 1913. October 29, No. 621 (G)

Water-cess.—Recording G.O. No. 3297, Revenue, dated 22nd October 1917, confirming rules for the levy of — for irrigation from the Nagavaram tank, Cuddapah district. November 6, No. 635 (G)

Article 478 (*a*) *of the Civil Service Regulations.*—Recording G.O. No. 255, Financial (Pension), dated 15th October 1917, recording letter from the Government of India, Finance Department, No. 893-C.S.R., dated 21st September 1917, cancelling — and requesting the Accountant-General to issue a pension payment order in the name of Mr. R. L. Shubrick, late Superintendent, Central Jail, Trichinopoly, for a monthly pension of Rs. 416-11-0 per mensem with effect from 3rd January 1916, in lieu of the pension payment order issued under G.O. No. 82, Pension, dated 18th February 1916. November 16, No. 648 (G)

Article 1094 (*c*) *of Civil Service Regulations.*—Recording G.O. No. 748, Financial, dated 17th November 1917, stating that the Government of India have agreed to an amendment of — so as to permit an officer on transfer of charge for the transport of a motor cycle with or without side-car, if he is entitled to free transport of a motor-car and to the amendment being made applicable to Mr. O'Brien, Executive Engineer, of the Public Works Department, for the journey in connexion with his transfer from Madura to Vizagapatam, and directing all controlling officers to scrutinize more closely than hitherto the reasons given in the travelling allowance bill in the case of each journey performed on a motor-cycle with a view to prevent the abuse of the employment of this means of conveyance by touring officers and to check this undesirable state of affairs by departmental action before the more drastic course of reducing mileage-rate for journeys performed on motor-cycles is considered. November 30, No. 675 (G)

Deserters from the Indian Army.—Recording G.O. No. 1333, Public, dated 10th November 1917, communicating to all Collectors, Army Department letter No. 53086-1/A-G. 9, dated 24th October 1917, on the subject of payment of rewards for the apprehension of all persons who are illegally absent from their units and requesting the Collectors to give full publicity to the change in the regulations on the subject intimated in the Army Department's letter. November 30, No. 677 (G)

Board's Standing Order No. 4.—Communicating to Superintending Engineer, III Circle, G.O. Press, No. 3907, Revenue, dated 4th December 1917, publishing a notification for the amendment of the rules in sections F and G of appendix I to —. December 10, No. 709 (G)

COMMITTEES AND CONFERENCES.

Twenty-fifth Guntūr District Conference.—Recording the resolution relating to irrigation matters moved at the — held in 1916. January 26, No. 34 I. (B)

Third Kurnool District Conference.—Recording a copy of the resolutions passed at the — held in December 1916. January 31, No. 60 G.

Public Works Department Reorganisation Committee.—Recording G.O. No. 40 W., dated 8th January 1917, forwarding to the — a memorandum embodying the views of this Government on the points referred to the —. March 2, No. 126 (G)

Imperial Delhi Committee.—Recording G.O. No. 182, Home (Mis.), dated 27th February 1917, recording resolution of the Government of India regarding the dissolution of the —. March 13, No. 161 (G)

Kistna flood committee.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, G.O. No. 151, Financial, dated 13th March 1917, sanctioning an allotment of Rs. 200 towards the expenses of the —. March 19, No. 168 (G)

COMMITTEES AND CONFERENCES—*cont.*

Governor's tour.—Passing orders on certain matters relating to irrigation, discussed at an informal conference held by His Excellency the Governor with the Revenue officers of the Kistna district on the 10th December 1914 such as the period of annual closure of channels for repairs, report of and penalty for irregular irrigation and the re-adjustment of the ultimate irrigable area of the Gōdāvari Western delta. March 19, No. 111 I. (A)

Mysore-Madras-Cauvery Arbitration.—Directing that the Secretary of State for India be addressed regarding the scope of Rule XXIII of the Award rules of regulation of the Mysore-Cauvery (Kannambadi) reservoir forming part of the award of the Arbitrator in the —. March 29, Nos. 134-35 I. (A)

Mysore-Madras-Cauvery Arbitration.—Referring for the decision of the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India a further issue regarding the scope of Rule XXIII of the rules of regulation of the Mysore (Kannambadi) Cauvery reservoir forming part of the Award in the —. March 29, Despatch No. 1 I.

Mysore-Madras-Cauvery Arbitration.—Transmitting to the Secretary of State direct despatch No. 1, dated 25th March 1917, regarding the scope of Rule XXIII of the rules of regulation of the Mysore (Kannambadi) Cauvery reservoir. March 29, Despatch No. 2 I.

Irrigation dispute.—Communicating to Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, G.O. No. 187, Public (Political), dated 26th April 1917, appointing in modification of paragraph 2 of G.O. No. 363, Public (Political), dated 23rd August 1916, Mr. H. L. Braidwood, Arbitrator in place of Mr. R. A. Graham to settle the — between the British Government and the Travancore Darbar. May 7, No. 247 (G)

Kistna Flood Committee of March 1917.—Ordering, with remarks, that the report of the — be placed on the Editors' Table. May 9, No. 180 I. (A)

Kistna District Association.—Recording publication No. I of the — regarding the troubles of the ryots of the Kistna Eastern delta in regard to the localisation of the wet ayacut. May 10, No. 254 (G)

"*Round-table*" *group in India.*—Recording G.O. No. 372, Home (Mis.), dated 10th April 1917, issuing instructions that no Government servant should become a member of a —. May 21, No. 261 (G)

Royal Commission on Public-Services in India.—Recording G.O. No. 594, Public, dated 14th May 1917, inviting the views of certain non-official public bodies and gentlemen on the recommendations of the —. May 25, No. 292 (G)

Conferences.—Recording the resolution passed at the Eleventh Gōdāvari District Conference held at Amalāpuram during April 1917. May 31, No. 218 I. (B)

Conferences.—Recording papers connected with the resolutions passed at the second Ganjām District Conference held at Chicacole during May 1916. May 31, No. 219 I (B)

"*Round-table*" *group.*—Recording G.O. No. 485, Home (Mis.), dated 22nd May 1917, recording letter from the Government of India forwarding copy of a letter from Mr. Lionel Curtis in which he gives an assurance that no — will, for the present, be organised in India. May 31, No. 310 (G)

Third Trichinopoly District Conference.—Recording the Superintending Engineer's report on certain resolutions passed at the — relating to irrigation. July 5, No. 277 I. (B)

Convention between the French Colony and the Government of Madras.—Ordering that the Government of India be addressed on a proposal made by the French Government to form a — to regulate the use of the waters of the Cauvery. July 9, Nos. 284-85 I. (A)

Proceedings of the Gōdāvari District Association in 1916.—Recording selections from the — received from the Joint Secretary to the Association. July 10, No. 286 I. (B)

Constitution of an Advisory Board for the management of the Marudur Nattuvoikal, Kulittalai taluk, Trichinopoly district.—Approving, with remarks, the rules for the — and requesting the Collector to submit in consultation with the Superintending Engineer a report at the end of two years as to how the Board has been working during that period. August 10, No. 335 I. (A)

Vizagapatam district conference.—Recording the report of proceedings of the 11th — held at Parvatipur in April 1916. August 28, No. 358 I. (B)

Kistna Flood Committee of March 1917.—Passing orders on the recommendations of the —. August 29, No. 361 I. (A)

Kistna District Conference.—Recording the resolutions of the 26th — held in April 1917. September 3, No. 368 I. (B)

Conference held at Ootacamund on 25th August 1917 *for the discussion of certain irrigation matters pertaining to the Gōdāvari and Kistna deltas.*—Recording the notes connected with the proceedings of a —. September 18, No. 535 (G) (Confdl.).

Mysore-Madras-Cauvery Arbitration.—Forwarding to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore, for communication to the Mysore Darbar, copies of the despatches of this Government to the Secretary of State for India regarding the —. September 19, Nos. 386-87 I. (A)

COMMITTEES AND CONFERENCES—*cont.*

Dam at the head of the Pulikalva taking off from the Swarnamukhi river.—Passing orders on the recommendation of the conference held for the purpose of discussing the details of the proposed — in the Nellore district. October 2, No. 408 I. (A)

Mysore-Madras-Cauvery Arbitration.—Directing that a letter be sent to the Government of India submitting the comments of the Madras Government on the Mysore Darbar's letter of 25th July 1917 regarding the regulation by the Darbar of the flow of water of the Cauvery river at their Krishnaraja Sagara reservoir at Kannambadi. October 5, Nos. 409–10 I. (A)

Collectors' conference.—Recording the notes on (i) extension of permit system for the irrigation of dry lands and (ii) working of the kudimaramat system which were discussed at the —. October 8, No. 562 (G)

The Hon'ble the Resident of Mysore.—Forwarding copies of certain despatches between the Madras Government and the Secretary of State for India regarding the Mysore-Madras-Cauvery Arbitration. October 10, No. 580 (G)

Priority.—Recording G.O. No. 2962, Revenue, dated 20th September 1917, publishing a press communiqué on the subject of the submission of — applications for assistance in respect of food and medicines to be obtained from the United Kingdom. October 11, No. 583 (G)

Irrigation and tidal dams.—Recording notes on — prepared in connection with His Excellency's tour in South Kanara in October 1917. October 15, No. 592 (G)

Mysore-Madras-Cauvery Arbitration.—Ordering that a letter be sent to the Resident in Mysore regarding the regulation of Krishnaraja Sagara at Kannambadi. October 26, No. 439 I. (A)

Mysore-Madras-Cauvery Arbitration.—Letter sent to the Resident in Mysore regarding the regulation of the Krishnaraja Sagara at Kannambadi. October 26, No. 440 I. (A)

Mysore-Madras-Cauvery Arbitration.—Ordering that a supplementary memorial, dated 19th October 1917, received from the landholders of the Cauvery delta in the Tanjore and Trichinopoly districts in respect to the award of the — be forwarded through the Government of India for the consideration of the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India. November 3, No. 452 I. (A)

Mysore-Madras-Cauvery Arbitration.—Forwarding to the Government of India for transmission to the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State a supplementary memorial received from the landholders of the Tanjore and Trichinopoly districts in respect of the award of the —. November 3, No. 453 I. (A)

Mysore-Madras-Cauvery Arbitration case.—Forwarding, for the consideration of the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, a supplementary memorial of the landholders in Trichinopoly and Tanjore districts in respect of the — through the Government of India. November 3, Despatch No. 7 I.

Mysore-Madras-Cauvery Arbitration case.—Forwarding an advance copy of Despatch No. 7 I., dated 3rd November 1917, submitting for the consideration of the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India the supplementary memorial, dated 19th October 1917, received from the landholders of Tanjore and Trichinopoly districts in respect of the award of the —. November 3, Despatch No. 8 I.

Priority Committee No. II.—Recording G.O. Press No. 3593, Revenue, dated 12th November 1917, appointing the Electric Inspector to Government a member of —. November 17, No. 651 (G)

Priority Committee No. II.—Recording G.O. Press No. 3617, Revenue, dated 15th November 1917, directing that all applications for priority assistance except those from gold mines hitherto dealt with by Government will in future be dealt with by —. November 20, No. 662 (G)

Mysore-Madras-Cauvery Arbitration.—Informing the Government of India that letter No. 453 I., dated 3rd November 1917, and annexures regarding Cauvery landholders' memorial in the — need not be treated as confidential. November 22, Nos. 437–38 I. (R)

First Godavari District non-Brahman Conference, 1917.—Recording notes connected with resolution 12 passed at the — regarding inconveniences suffered by the ayacut under 4" pipes in the Godavari Eastern and Central deltas. November 30, No. 674 (G)

Public Service Commission's recommendation regarding family pension fund scheme for Government servants.—Recording un-official No. 3343, Public, dated 11th October 1917, communicating letter from the Government of India No. 911, dated 11th September 1917, regarding —. December 6, No. 698 (G)

Mysore-Madras-Cauvery Arbitration.—Ordering that a letter be sent to the Government of India submitting the comments of this Government on Mysore Darbar's letter of the 21st June 1917 on the subject of the regulation by the Darbar of the Krishna Rajasagara reservoir at Kannambadi during the hot weather, viz., 1st February to 31st May. December 18, Nos. 522–23 I. (A)

COMMITTEES AND CONFERENCES—*cont.*

Mysore-Madras-Cauvery Arbitration.—Recording a copy of notes furnished to the Private Secretary to His Excellency the Governor prepared in connexion with an interview with the Secretary of State for India by the Diwan of Mysore on the 20th December 1917. December 28, No. 732 (G)

CONTRACTS AND AGREEMENTS.

Contracts and agreements.—Recording G.O. No. 209, Revenue, dated 24th January 1917, recording letter from the Government of India forwarding an extract of the despatch from the Secretary of State rescission of rule IV and the proviso to rule V (*c*) of the Statutory Rules regulating the power of the Government of India and of Local Governments and Administrations to sanction — involving liabilities on the State. February 15, No. 93 (G)

Vaddheswaram and Kolanukonda Lift Irrigation Company, Kistna Western delta.—Forwarding to the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, for necessary action the opinions of the Advocate-General in regard to the grant of concession to the —. April 11, No. 147 I. (A)

Construction of an overhead line from Binny Mills Sub-station along the bank of the Otteri nallah.—Permitting the — by the Madras Electric Supply Corporation with certain deviation from the original line sanctioned in G.O. No. 455 I., dated 2nd October 1915, and subject to certain conditions. April 18, No. 152 I. (B)

Agreement with the South Indian Railway Company for water drawn by them from the Wyacondan channel, Trichinopoly district.—Recording correspondence relating to the delay in executing the — and ordering the despatch of a letter to the Agent, South Indian Railway, informing him that Government see no reason for granting any specially reduced rates in the cases of water taken by them from the Udambokky and Ninjalmadugu. April 27, Nos. 164-65 I. (A)

Agreement for water taken by South Indian Railway from the Ninjalmadugu, Chingleput district.—Recording the papers relating to the execution of an —. May 2, No. 236 (G)

Periyār Power Scheme. May 29, Nos. 211-12 I. (A) (Confidential).

Piece-work agreement.—Recording G.O. No. 922 W., dated 13th August 1917, recording communication from the Government of India on the subject of the provision contained in paragraph 749 of the Public Works Department Code, Volume I, in regard to — and directing that the existing practice be continued. August 23, No. 473 (G)

Agreement.—Recording letter from the Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, submitting copy of the — executed by the South Indian Railway Company for water taken from the Wyakondan channel, Trichinopoly district. November 1, No. 450 I. (B)

Bonus to contractors, Toludur project.—Approving the recommendation of the Chief Engineer for Irrigation that — be paid at the rate of 10 per cent on an annual outturn of more than Rs. 5,000, provided that half the number of coolies employed were from villages beyond 10 miles radius. November 30, No. 492 I. (B)

Pumping water from the Yenamadurru drain, Gōdāvari Western delta.—Approving the revised draft of an agreement to be entered into by Venkataramana Raju and Narasimha Raju for —. December 11, No. 512 I. (B)

Irrigation work.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, I Circle, G.O. No. 3814, Revenue, dated 29th November 1917, passing orders on the proposal of the Board of Revenue for the excution of an agreement by the Raja of Bobbili in connexion with the construction of an iron pipe aqueduct to convey the water of the Meraki Batti across the Singinadam channel, Ganjam district. December 14, No. 715 (G)

Agreement with the South Indian Railway for water taken from the Ninjal madugu.—Returning to the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, with remarks, the —. December 18, No. 718 (G)

CONTRIBUTION WORKS.

Bathing ghat.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 1,900 for constructing a — between 33¼ and 33½ Bench Marks on the right bank of the Cauvery in Palur limits, Trichinopoly district. January 5, No. 1 I. (A)

Narasapur channel, Vizagapatam division.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 9,700 for improvements to the — for execution as a part contribution work. January 6, No. 2 I. (A)

Contribution for the repair of certain tanks in Salem district.—Passing orders in regard to the recovery from the District Board of —. April 23, No. 154 I. (A)

Improvements to the culverts on the Doddipatla-Akivedu road, Gōdāvari Western division.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 1,421 for — for execution as a full contribution work. April 27, No. 162 I. (B)

Vēdāranniyam canal, Tanjore district.—Requesting the Accountant-General, Madras, to insert in future, foot-notes in C-1 statements specifying the share borne by the Tanjore District Board in the maintenance of the —. May 1, No. 229 (G)

Contribution works.—Informing the Superintending Engineer, VII Circle, that the classification of full — under any fund heads does not seem to be necessary. May 9, No. 253 (G)

CONTRIBUTION WORKS—*cont.*

Constructing a light of steps at the bathing ghat in the right margin of the Pamaniar in the limits of Puvanur village, Mannargudi taluk, Tanjore district.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 884 for — for execution as a contribution work. May 22, No. 200 I. (B)

Flood.—Communicating to Superintending Engineer, VII Circle, G.O. Mis., No. 710 L., dated 10th May 1917, informing the President of the South Arcot District Board that the cost of providing sand groynes to the right bank of the Penner river in mile 41/1 of the Palar road should be met wholly from local funds. May 24, No. 281 (G)

Contribution works.—Sanctioning the execution by the Public Works Department as a full contribution work of the work "forming a road from road No. 51 to the Vijayalakshmi Rice Mill and constructing two culverts across the Karumbal and Karumbiar channels in Alanthambadi village, Tirutturaippūndi taluk, Tanjore district." August 20, No. 346 I. (B)

A bathing ghat between 15 *and* 16 *B.M. on the right bank of the Peruvalai channel in Alagiamanavalam village limits, Trichinopoly district.*—Sanctioning, with remarks, an estimate of Rs. 523 for constructing — as a full contribution work. September 6, No. 374 I. (B)

Constructing a retaining wall at the right side of the Pālayan channel, Tinnevelly district.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 3,268 for — as a full contribution work. September 11, No. 381 I. (B)

Bathing ghat at Poovanur, Mannārgudi taluk, Tanjore district.—Informing the Superintending Engineer, VII Circle, that the centage charges cannot be waived in the case of the construction of the — and similar cases of contribution works. October 5, No. 559 (G)

Contribution works.—Modifying previous Government orders regarding — partially. November 5, No. 454 I. (A)

Bathing ghat in continuation of the existing one on the right bank of the Wyakondan channel.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 4,308 for constructing a — in the municipal limits of Trichinopoly town, Trichinopoly division. November 5, No. 455 I. (B)

Irrigation works connected with the Sārāda river, Vizagapatam district.—Approving the arrangements proposed with a view to expedite the execution of work in respect of the —. November 8, No. 459 I. (A)

A sluice for Chinnarangadipalem drinking-water tank, Gostanadhi and Velpur canal, Gōdāvari Western division.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 150 for providing — as a full contribution work. November 15, No. 473 I. (B)

CORRESPONDENCE.

Government of India's memorandum to the Governor in Council and endorsement thereon.—Recording copy of — which states that official correspondence should be addressed as before to the India Office, London, during the stay of the Secretary of State in India. October 8, No. 567 (G)

Correspondence.—Recording G.O. No. 2964, Revenue, dated 20th September 1917, directing the use of the endorsement form of — in mufassal offices whenever possible. October 15, No. 591 (G)

DAMS.

Conversion of the Nallatur dam across the Nandalar into a regulator, Tanjore district.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 22,552 being the proportionate cost payable to the French Government towards the —. January 16, No. 16 I. (A)

Constructing a dam at the head of the Pulikalva taking off from the Swarnamukhi river, Nellore district.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 14,500 for —. June 5, No. 221 I. (A)

Working of the Enamakal dam, Malabar district.—Recording the report on the — for the year 1916–17. June 23, No. 350 (G)

Enamakkal dam, Malabar district.—Recording the Superintending Engineer's report regarding the working of the — during 1916–17. July 6, No. 377 (G)

Improvements to the Melaperumalai dam across the Marakkakorayur, Cauvery Delta system.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 1,250 for —. July 14, No. 292 I. (A)

Dam across the Kattar at the head of the Kalyani channel, Negapatam taluk, Tanjore district.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 5,756 for constructing a —. July 30, No. 319 I. (B)

Converting the Tirumachiyur dam across the Vanjiar into a regulator, Cauvery delta system.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 1,550 for —. August 15, No. 340 I. (B)

Conversion of mud dams into masonry ones.—Recording the report of the Superintending Engineer, VII Circle, on a question asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on 2nd April 1917, on the subject of —. August 23, No. 487 (G)

Conversion of the Nallatur dam across the Nandalar into a regulator, Cauvery delta system.—Addressing the Governor of the French Settlements in India and informing him that the Accountant-General has been authorised to place at the disposal of the French Government the portion of the cost for the — due by this Government. September 5, Nos. 371–72 I. (A)

DAMS—*cont.*

Unprofitable outlay incurred on repairing the dam across the surplus channel of the Manimangalam tank, Chingleput division.—Informing the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, that the Accountant-General has withdrawn his objection to the excess outlay.
September 11, No. 518 (G)

Improvements to the Yedumulla dam and its channels across the Gokivada gedda, Vizagapatam division.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 6,100 for —. September 22, No. 395 I. (A)

Dam at the head of the Pulikalva taking off from the Swarnamukhi river.—Passing orders on the recommendation of the conference held for the purpose of discussing the details of the proposed — in the Nellore district. October 2, No. 408 I. (A)

Dam at the head of the Pulikalva taking off from the Swarnamukhi river.—Sanctioning a revised estimate of Rs. 1,370 for constructing a —, Nellore district. October 11, No. 418 I. (A)

Irrigation and tidal dams.—Recording notes on the — prepared in connexion with His Excellency's tour in South Kanara in October 1917. October 15, No. 592 (G)

Conversion of the Nallatur dam across the Nandalar into a regulator.—Requesting the Accountant-General, Madras, to place at the disposal of the French Government at Pondicherry a sum of Rs. 4,245-13-4 on account of balance of proportionate cost payable to that Government towards the cost of shutters. October 23, No. 433 I. (B)

Conversion of the Nallatur dam across the Nandalar into a regulator.—Sending a letter to the French Government at Pondicherry regarding the —. October 23, No. 434 I. (B)

DRAINS.

Improvements to certain drains in the Kistna Eastern division.—Approving the recommendation of the Chief Engineer for Irrigation for the investigation of the schemes for —.
January 16, No. 17 I. (A)

Improvement of drainage in the Gōdāvari and Kistna deltas.—Communicating to Superintending Engineers, I and II Circles, with remarks, extracts from the proceedings of the Legislative Council which met on the 21st November 1916 in connection with a resolution moved by the Hon'ble Rao Bahadur M. Ramachandra Rao Pantulu regarding —.
January 31, No. 41 I. (A)

Nedunur drain, Gōdāvari Delta system.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 5,832 for excavating the —, Gōdāvari Eastern division. February 10, No. 59 I. (A)

Improvements to the Panchanadi, Kowsika and Vasaltippa drains, Gōdāvari Central delta.—Approving the recommendation of the Chief Engineer for Irrigation for the preparation of detailed plans and estimates for the —. February 13, No. 65 I. (A)

Schemes for the improvement of the drainage of the Kolair lake area.—Recording question No. 134 (original No. 122) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 6th February 1917 regarding — and the answer given thereto. February 22, No. 77 I. (A)

Excavating the Kunderu drain, Kistna Eastern delta.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 2,530 for —. June 26, No. 262 I. (A)

Improvements to the Ainapur drain, Gōdāvari Eastern division.—Approving an estimate of Rs. 1,66,671 for — and forwarding the same to the Government of India for sanction.
June 28, Nos. 265-66 I. (A)

Improvements to the Lawford's Straight-Cut, Cauvery Delta system.—Approving and forwarding to the Government of India for sanction an estimate amounting to Rs. 2,14,056 for —
July 12, Nos. 290-91 I. (A)

Excavating the Jupudi affluent and improving the Gollamudipadu drain, Kistna Western delta.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 10,200 for —. July 27, No. 314 I. (A).

Remodelling the Donepudi block, Kistna delta system.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 27,190, for the —. August 3, No. 323 I. (A)

Ainapur drain, Gōdāvari Eastern division.—Communicating to the officers concerned the sanction of the Government of India to the estimate of Rs. 1,66,671 for improvements to the —.
August 6, No. 326 I. (A)

Yenamadurru drain, Gōdāvari Western delta.—Sanctioning a second deviation statement amounting to Rs. 4,36,903 including establishment charges for improvements to the — from the Gostavadi infall to the short cut. August 6, Nos. 329-30 I. (B)

Improvements to the Lawford's Straight-cut, Cauvery delta system.—Communicating to the officers concerned the sanction of the Government of India to the estimate of Rs. 2,14,056 for —. September 11, No. 375 I. (A)

Neelacodu and Bondada drains, Gōdāvari Western delta.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 16,342 for improvements to the —. September 17, No. 385 I. (A)

Delay in the starting of the work "Providing a flood bank on the right side of the Teki drain.—Recording papers regarding the —. October 3, No. 556 (G)

DRAINS—*cont.*

Programme of drainage works in the Gōdāvari Western delta.—Approving, with remarks, the — submitted by the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, and ordering that the Government of India be addressed with a view to the construction of a lock and a regulator on the Kakaraparru canal being undertaken in 1918–19. October 18, No. 429 I. (A)

Programme of drainage works in the Gōdāvari Western delta.—Requesting the sanction of the Government of India to the construction of a lock and a regulator on the Kakaraparru canal, Gōdāvari Western delta, being undertaken in 1918–19. October 18, No. 430 I. (A)

Programme of drainage works for the Kistna Western delta.—Approving, with remarks, the —. October 18, No. 431 I. (A)

Programme of drainage improvements in the Gōdāvari Eastern and Central deltas.—Approving, with remarks, the —. October 31, No. 448 I. (A)

Repair of minor drains in the Gōdāvari delta.—Recording notes connected with question No. 126 (original No. 112) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 20th November 1917, regarding — and the answer given thereto. December 3, No. 497 I. (B)

Excavating Mudaliyar tributary drain, Divi pumping system.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 2,994 for — Kistna Central division. December 7, No. 509 I. (B)

Drainage of the Gōdāvari delta and the Kolair, and the construction of village roads in the delta.—Recording copy of notes furnished to the Financial Department, on the suggestion of the Hon'ble Mr. K. R. V. Krishna Rao Pantulu made in connexion with the ensuing Finance Committee regarding the provision of adequate funds in the buget estimate for 1918–19 for improvements to the —. December 8, No. 703 (G)

Pumping water from the Yenamadurru drain, Gōdāvari Western delta.—Approving the revised draft of an agreement to be entered into by Venkataramana Raju and Narasimha Raju for —. December 11, No. 512 I (B)

Improvements to Kovvur-Manjair junction canal, Gōdāvari Eastern delta.—Approving an estimate of Rs. 1,61,126 for the scheme of — and forwarding the same to the Government of India for sanction. December 13, Nos. 513–14 I. (A)

Improvements to Sittanaiperumal drain, Cauvery delta system.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 15,642 for — Cauvery division. December 21, No. 524 I. (A)

ELECTRICITY.

Periyar Power Scheme. May 29, Nos. 211–13 I., (A) (Confdl.)

Royalty to be paid by the Mysore Darbar to Madras Government in regard to the Cauvery power transmission scheme.—Recording G.O. No. 2269, Revenue, dated 26th July 1917, informing the Honourable the Resident in Mysore that the Madras Government are unable to accept the revised terms proposed by the Mysore Darbar in connexion with the —. October 2, No. 554 (G)

Payment due by the Mysore Darbar for the utilization of the power generated at the Cauvery falls at Sivasamudram.—Recording G.O. No. 2343, Revenue, dated 1st August 1917, requesting the Honourable the Resident in Mysore to move the Mysore Darbar to arrange for the —. October 2, No. 555 (G)

Cauvery falls at Sivasamudram.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, G.O. No. 3718, Revenue, dated 22nd November 1917, recording letter from the Honourable the Resident in Mysore regarding the payment of the amount due to this Government for the utilization of the power generated at the — during 1915–16. December 15, No. 716 (G)

ESTABLISHMENT.

Special Revenue staff.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, G.Os. Mis. No. 2995, Revenue, dated 22nd December 1916, sanctioning the employment of a — in connection with the localisation of the ultimate irrigable areas in the Kistna Eastern delta. January 3, No. 2 (G)

Temporary establishment in the South Arcot District.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, VII Circle, G.O. Mis. No. 262, dated 29th January 1917, sanctioning the employment of a — for the execution of repairs to the Minor Irrigation Works which were damaged by cyclone. February 1, No. 67 (G)

Mechanical foreman for the Siddapur Tank project, Kurnool division.—Sanctioning the employment of a — on Rs. 200 per mensem during 1917–18. February 8, No. 54 I. (A)

Establishment for the execution of repairs to the Minor Irrigation Works in the North Arcot District which were damaged by cyclone.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, VII Circle, G.O. Mis. No. 341, Revenue, dated 7th February 1917, sanctioning the employment for a period of six months of a temporary —. February 10, No. 86 (G)

Special establishment for the Toludur project, South Arcot district.—Sanctioning the continued employment of a Special Deputy Collector and establishment for the acquisition of lands for channels and distributaries of the Toludur project. February 14, No. 70 I. (B)

ESTABLISHMENT—*cont.*

Minor Irrigation works.—Recording G.O. Mis. No. 572, Revenue, dated 23rd February 1917, sanctioning the employment of four upper subordinates instead of four lower subordinates for the execution of repairs to the — in the North Arcot district which were damaged by cyclone. March 6, No. 142 (G)

Minor Irrigation works.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, VII Circle, G.O Mis. No. 689, Revenue, dated 6th March 1917, sanctioning the employment of a temporary establishment to work under the Public Works Department officers employed for the execution of repairs to the — damaged by cyclone in the South Arcot district. March 9, No. 146 (G)

Clerks-draftsmen.—Recording G.O. No. 699, Revenue, dated 7th March 1917, accepting the proposal of the Board of Revenue that certain examination qualification should be prescribed for the posts of — in Collectors' offices. March 16, No. 167 (G)

Forming a new flood bank of the Kistna river at Pratur.—Sanctioning the entertainment of certain sanitary establishment in connection with the work of —, Kistna Western division. April 3, No. 145 I. (B)

Establishment.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, G.O. Mis. No. 1066, Revenue, dated 12th April 1917, sanctioning the re-entertainment of the special Revenue— required for completing the enquiry into the agricultural practices in Gōdāvari Western Delta. April 24, No. 213 (G)

Strength of the establishment to be taken to Ootacamund in 1917.—Recording G.O. No. 204, Financial, dated 14th April 1917, regarding reports received from the departments of the Secretariat regarding the —. April 26, No. 222 (G)

Mechanical Foreman, Siddapur Tank Project.—Withdrawing the sanction accorded in G.O. No. 54 I., dated 8th February 1917, to the employment during 1917–18 of a —, Kurnool division, and approving the Superintending Engineer's action in having raised the pay of the chief driver. May 1, No. 172 I. (B)

Establishment.—Sanctioning certain Revenue — required for the acquisition of lands in connection with the improvement of certain drains under the Divi Pumping System, Kistna Central division. May 25, No. 206 I. (A)

Move of Government to the Hills.—Recording G.O. No. 260, Financial, dated 26th April 1917, stating that the sanction accorded in G.Os. No. 107, Financial, dated 21st February 1917, and No. 147, Financial, dated 10th March 1917, increasing the strength of the establishment of the Public Works Department (Irrigation) accompanying the Government to the Hills will have effect from 30th April 1917 instead of from 15th May 1917. May 30, No. 308 (G)

Establishment.—Recording G.O. No. 1832, Revenue, dated 22nd June 1917, sanctioning the retention up to the end of September 1917 of the special staff and establishment sanctioned for the execution of repairs to minor irrigation works damaged by cyclone in the South Arcot district. June 26, No. 359 (G)

Establishment.—Sanctioning the retention for a period of 20 days of the special Revenue — sanctioned in G.O. No. 206 I., dated 25th May 1917, for the acquisition of land in connection with the improvement of certain drains under the Divi Pumping system, Kistna Central division. July 7, No. 283 I. (B)

Establishment.—Communicating to Superintending Engineer, II Circle, G.O. No. 2316, Revenue, dated 30th July 1917, sanctioning the retention up to the end of September 1917, of the Special Revenue staff sanctioned in G.O. No. 2995, Revenue, dated 22nd December 1916, in connection with the localisation of irrigable areas in the Kistna Eastern Delta. August 10, No. 457 (G)

Establishment.—Sanctioning the continued employment for five months of the special Revenue Inspector and staff sanctioned in G.O. No. 610 I., dated 23rd December 1916, in connexion with the acquisition of land required for the distributaries of the Mopad Reservoir Project. October 8, No. 412 I. (B)

Establishment required for Cauvery Gauging during 1918–19.—Recording notes connected with the preparation of the budget estimate for —. October 11, No. 582 (G)

Minor Irrigation Works.—Recording G.O. Mis. No. 3609, Revenue, dated 14th November 1917, sanctioning the retention for the further period of six months the special establishment for carrying out repairs to the — damaged by the cyclone in the North Arcot district. November 22, No. 665 (G)

Minor Irrigation establishment.—Recording G.O. No. 2884, Revenue, dated 14th September 1917, passing orders on the question of revision of — in the Presidency. November 29, No. 670 (G)

Re-employment of pensioners.—Recording Chief Secretary's un-official notes regarding —. December 5, No. 691 (G)

ESTABLISHMENT—*cont.*

Staff boat used for the office records and establishment of Mr. Connell employed on special duty.—Approving the proposal of the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, to debit to office contingencies the monthly rent and haulage charges of the — and stating that the travelling allowance of the establishment using the boat will be regulated by article No. 999 (1) (A) of the Civil Service Regulations. December 8, No. 510 I. (B)

Cadre of lower subordinates in the II Circle.—Recording G.O. No. 1552 W., dated 4th December 1917, increasing the — by four to provide for four permanent executive sub-overseers for superintending the floodbanks in the Kistna Western division. December 10, No. 708 (G)

Deputy Tahsildar, Paramati.—Communicating to Superintending Engineers, IV and VI Circles, G.O. No. 3357, Revenue, considering that the river channels in the Namakkal taluk, Salem district, may continue to be under the control of the Revenue Department and that the post of — should be maintained. December 11, No. 710 (G)

Establishment.—Communicating G.O. No. 4126, Revenue, dated 19th December 1917, sanctioning the retention up to the end of December 1917 of the special revenue staff sanctioned in connexion with the localization of irrigable areas in the Kistna Eastern delta. December 22, No. 728 (G)

ESTIMATES.

Revised estimate for 1916–17 *under the heads XXIA, XXX,* "42" *and* "43".—Furnishing the Accountant-General certain particulars regarding the —. January 18, No. 31 (G)

Revised estimate for 1916–17 *under the heads* "35" *and* "49".—Furnishing the Accountant-General with certain particulars regarding the —. January 19, No. 32 (G)

Budget estimate of revenue and expenditure for 1917–18.—Approving and forwarding to the Government of India the preliminary issue of the — under the "Imperial, Provincial and Divided" heads. January 20, Nos. 29-30 I. (A)

Improvements to the Divi right flood bank from head to 14/0.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rupees 55,000 for the —. March 10, No. 103 I. (A)

Revised estimate for the Chepad project.—Informing the Government of India, Public Works Department, that the — will probably be submitted to them by the end of April 1917. March 19, No. 170 (G)

Constructing a new tank at Kolur, Bellary district.—Sanctioning a revised estimate of Rupees 93,600 for — for execution if required as a famine relief work. March 19, No. 115 I. (A)

Lascars' sheds at Velanganni regulator, Cauvery Delta system.—According administrative approval to the estimate of Rs. 150 for ordinary and special repairs to the —. March 20, No. 117 I. (B)

Sheds for the officer and the staff employed on gauging operations in Mysore.—Sanctioning estimates aggregating to Rs. 1,230 for constructing —. March 20, No. 119 I. (B)

Improvements to the Kudithepalem channel, Penner River Canals system, Nellore district.—Sanctioning a revised estimate of Rs. 1,410 for —. March 22, No. 123 I. (B)

Toludur Project, South Arcot district.—Approving a second revised estimate of Rs. 32,10,000 for the — and forwarding the same to the Government of India for obtaining the sanction of the Secretary of State. March 26, Nos. 126-127 I. (A)

Wyacondan channel, Trichinopoly division.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 11,000 for improvements to the head-sluice of the —. March 27, No. 130 I. (A)

Mopad Reservoir project, Nellore division.—Approving and forwarding to the Government of India for obtaining the sanction of the Secretary of State to the fourth deviation statement of the — amounting to Rs. 21,97,000. March 29, Nos. 136-137 I. (A)

Lock and regulator at 7 miles 2 furlongs 460 feet of the Kakaraparru canal, Gôdâvari Western delta.—Communicating to the officers concerned the sanction of the Government of India to the estimate of Rs. 53,923 for constructing a —. March 30, No. 138 I. (A)

Constructing 13 *pebble groynes in the Devarayasamudram set in the left margin of the Aganda Cauvery, Trichinopoly division.*—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 4,200 for —. March 30, No. 139 I. (B)

Sithalapakkam tank, Chingleput district.—Sanctioning a revised estimate of Rs. 3,200 for improvements to the —. April 2, No. 142 I. (B)

Annual maintenance estimates of certain irrigation works in the Ganjām division.—Approving the recommendation of the Superintending Engineer, I Circle, that the period of currency of the — be extended as a special case. April 3, No. 138 I. (B)

Restoration of the Jambai channel, Tirukkoyilur taluk, South Arcot district.—Sanctioning a second revised estimate of Rs. 15,600 for the —. April 4, No. 146 I. (A)

Second apron to the Kandradithan tank weir, Nandyar channel system.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 2,552 for providing a — and forming ramps at both ends, Trichinopoly division. April 14, No. 150 I. (B)

ESTIMATES—*cont.*

Improvements to the bridge over the Shatiatope Regulator, South Arcot district.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 4,400 for —. April 18, No. 151 I. (B)

Silambakkam spring channel, Chingleput district.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 7,396 for clearing silt in the —. April 23, No. 155 I. (A)

Annual maintenance estimates of certain irrigation works in the I Circle.—Approving the recommendation of the Superintending Engineer, I Circle, that the period of currency of the — be extended as a special case. April 24, No. 159 I. (R)

Stone revetted groyne at 22⅞ B.M. of the Aganda Cauvery left margin, Trichinopoly division.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 3,400 for constructing a —. April 25, No. 160 I. (B)

Making borings at the site of the proposed syphon to the Coringa Island, Gōdāvari Eastern division.—Sanctioning an estimate for Rs. 1,830 for —. April 26, No. 161 I. (B)

Improvements to the culverts on the Doddipatla-Akivedu road, Gōdāvari Western division.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 1,421 for — for execution as a full contribution work. April 27, No. 162 I. (B)

Left flood bank of the Ponniar river above the South Indian Railway Bridge, South Arcot district.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 5,000 for diverting the —. April 30, No. 168 I. (A)

Improvements to the new lock at Vizeswaram, Gōdāvari Head-works division.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 13,500 for —. April 30, No. 169 I. (A)

Kothambakkam anicut across Sellangal odai, Villupuram taluk, South Arcot district.—Sanctioning with remarks an estimate amounting to Rs. 15,800 for re-building and extending the —. April 30, No. 170 I. (A)

Remodelling the Tossipudi North Side channel, Gōdāvari Eastern delta.—Approving an estimate of Rs. 69,170 for — and forwarding it to the Government of India for sanction. May 10, Nos. 183–184 I. (A)

Experimental percolation trench in the Government Brick Fields, Madras.—Sanctioning the revised estimate amounting to Rs. 2,140 for constructing an —. May 17, No. 193 I. (B)

Pālār Anicut system.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 2,550 for constructing two rough stone groynes to and extending front apron between 725 feet and 885 feet of the Pālār anicut. May 19, No. 194 I. (A)

Constructing a flight of steps at the bathing ghat in the right margin of the Pamaniar in the limits of Poovanoor village, Mannārgudi taluk, Tanjore district.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 884 for — for execution as a contribution work. May 22, No. 200 I. (B)

Reconstructing the Thenpalai anicut across the Varahanadhi river and excavating a supply channel to Thenpalai tank (Imperial No. 68), South Arcot district.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 14,640 for —. May 28, No. 209 I. (B)

Improvements to the Nellikuppam jungle stream and the Southern channel of the Poiney Anicut system.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 10,171 for —. May 31, No. 217 I. (A)

Scheme estimates for maintenance and repairs of the Nagavalli Project from February 1917 to January 1918.—Communicating to the Accountant-General copy of letter from the Superintending Engineer, I Circle, stating that — will be sanctioned as soon as they are received back from the Executive Engineer. July 20, No. 251 I. (R)

Estimate for protecting the right margin of the Kistna for 1916–17.—Communicating to the Accountant-General, Madras, report of the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, stating that he has sanctioned an estimate of Rs. 22,000 for the works. August 13, No. 288 I. (R)

Estimates for the construction of protective works at Murungapet and Melur sets, Trichinopoly division.—Informing the Accountant-General that the — are under scrutiny in the office of the Chief Engineer for Irrigation. August 30, No. 304 I. (R)

Restoration of the Kanniampalayam anicut, Coimbatore district.—Approving the second deviation statement for the —. August 31, No. 365 I. (B)

Lolla and Ralli lock weirs, Gōdāvari Eastern division.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 13,733 for improvements to the —. September 1, No. 366 I. (A)

Repairs and improvements to the Korakkavadikulam tank and supply channel, South Arcot district.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 10,605 for —. September 3, No. 367 I. (B)

Ogalur tank supply channel, Trichinopoly district.—Sanctioning a revised estimate amounting to Rs. 28,000 for improvements and repairs to the —. September 4, No. 370 I. (A)

A bathing ghat between 15 and 16 B.M. on the right bank of the Peruvalai channel in Alagiamanavalam village limits, Trichinopoly district.—Sanctioning, with remarks, an estimate of Rs. 523 for constructing — as a full contribution work. September 6, No. 374 I. (B)

Improvements to the Lawford's Straight Cut, Cauvery Delta system.—Communicating to the officers concerned the sanction of the Government of India to the estimate of Rs. 2,14,056 for —. September 11, No. 375 I. (A)

ESTIMATES—*cont.*

Protective works at Murungapet and Melur sets at the right and left banks of the Cauvery respectively.—Sanctioning estimates aggregating to Rs. 32,120 for constructing —.
September 11, No. 379 I. (B)

Improvements to the Emergency shutter of the Periyar Head-Works at Thekkady, Madura district.—Sanctioning a revised estimate amounting to Rs. 5,300 for —.
September 11, No. 380 I. (B)

Constructing a retaining wall at the right side of the Palayan channel, Tinnevelly district.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 3,268 for — as a full contribution work.
September 11, No. 381 I. (B)

Improvements to the Ulukur tank supply channel, Penner river canals system.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 2,978 for —. September 12, No. 382 I. (B)

Panakala tank of Akkampeta, Gōdāvari Western division.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 16,570 for restoring the —. September 14, No. 384 I. (A)

Constructing the right flood bank of the Bhaguva river in Kumiki limits, Aska taluk, Ganjām district.—Returning approved to Superintending Engineer, I Circle, the estimate amounting to Rs. 1,260 for sanction and execution. September 14, No. 533 (G)

Neelacodu and Bondada drains, Gōdāvari Western delta.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 16,342 for improvements to the —. September 17, No. 385 I. (A)

Minor distributary from No. I distributary of the Mahanadi canal, Rushikulya system.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 3,960 for excavating a — for the irrigation of lands of Benaputi village, Goomsur taluk, Ganjām district. September 21, No. 392 I. (B)

Improvements to the Yedumulla dam and its channels across the Gokivada gedda, Vizagapatam division.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 6,100 for —. September 22, No. 395 (A)

Viralore tank, No. 114, Madura taluk.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 3,520 for improvements to the —, Madura district. September 24, No. 397 I. (B)

Improvements to the Cauvery right bank from the Pugalur channel head at 0/6 to 12/0 mile and from the Nerur channel head at 19/3 to 20/2.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 1,06,600 for —. September 25, No. 398 I. (A)

Excavation of a new supply channel to Karpundi tank, Polur taluk, North Arcot district.—Sanctioning, with remarks, an estimate amounting to Rs. 6,700 for the —.
September 26, No. 400 I. (A)

Improvements to the Vadakalur anicut, Coimbatore division.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 3,250 for —. September 26, No. 402 I. (B)

Improvements to sluice No. 4 of Chembarambakkam tank, Chingleput division.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 1,944 for the —, Chembarambakkam tank system.
September 28, No. 405 I. (B)

Raising the low groyne in the Bobberlanka under-sluices.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 7,350 for — Gōdāvari Head-Works division. October 10, No. 415 I. (A)

Dam at the head of the Pulikalva taking off from the Swarnamukhi river.—Sanctioning a revised estimate of Rs. 1,370 for constructing a —, Nellore district. October 11, No. 418 I. (A)

Improvements to the weir of Sivankodul tank, Palar anicut system No. 176.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 4,291 for the —. October 13, No. 421 I. (B)

Improvements to the calibrating meter tank at Guindy.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 3,800 for —, South Presidency division. October 16, No. 422 I. (B)

Supplemental estimate of Rs. 500 for replacing the rails in the Kothambakam anicut, South Arcot division.—Sanctioning — to the estimate sanctioned in G.O. No. 170 I., dated 30th April 1917. October 16, No. 423 I. (B)

Constructing a domed top over sluice No. 1 of Panjapatti reservoir for installing a water-level indicator and recorder.—Sanctioning, with remarks, an estimate amounting Rs. 350 for —.
October 17, No. 426 I. (B)

Improvements to the Velacheri tank, Cheyar anicut system.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 2,130 for —, North Arcot division. October 17, No. 427 I. (B)

Guduvanjeri tank, Chingleput district.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 2,910 for the improvements to the —. October 20, No. 432 I. (B)

Improvements to the Laddivadi tank and supply channel, Swetanadi minor basin, Hosur taluk, Salem district.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 11,600 for the —.
October 25, No. 438 I. (B)

Improvements to Karenchedu block, Commamur canal, Kistna Western delta.—Approving an estimate amounting to Rs. 19,585 for — and forwarding it to the Government of India for sanction. October 26, Nos. 441–42 I. (A)

ESTIMATES—*cont.*

Improvements to the Godilanka channel, Gōdāvari delta system.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 3,274 for the —. Gōdāvari Eastern division. October 29, No. 444 I. (B)

Raising and strengthening the right and left flood bank of Kistna river and forming a berm the rear of the right flood bank.—Approving an estimate amounting to Rs. 27,493 for — and ordering that a letter be sent to the Government of India requesting sanction to the estimate. October 29, Nos. 445-46 I. (A)

Fixing pipes in masonry in Chivalur channel, Bank canal, Kistna Delta system.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 1,519 for —, Kistna Western division. November 2, No. 451 I (B)

Contribution works.—Modifying previous Government Orders regarding — partially. November 5, No. 454 I. (A)

Bathing ghat in continuation of the existing one on the right bank of the Wyacondan channel.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 4,308 for constructing a — in the municipal limits of Trichinopoly town, Trichinopoly division. November 5, No. 455 I. (B)

Improvements to the Sengulam tank, Tenkasi taluk, Tinnevelly district.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 6,500 for —. November 8, No. 460 I. (A)

Constructing pipe sluice at R 44—4—354 of the Bank canal and improving the bothie leading therefrom, Gōdāvari Delta system.—Sanctioning the revised estimate of Rs. 4,574 for —, Gōdāvari Eastern division, and approving the draft notification for the acquisition of land required. November 15, No. 472 I. (B)

A sluice for Chinnarangadipalem drinking water tank, Gostanadhi and Velpur canal, Gōdāvari Western division.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 150 for providing — as a full contribution work. November 15, No. 473 I. (B)

Constructing two new barges of 90 feet.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 18,600 for — for use in the Gōdāvari Head Works division. November 16, No. 476 I. (B)

Estimates for repairs to Pennar left and right flood embankments.—Approving the — and requesting, with remarks, to submit detailed estimates for sanction under "33. Famine relief." November 20, No. 485 I. (B)

Constructing a suction dredger for the Buckingham canal.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 12,000 for —. November 20, No. 486 I. (B)

Second revised estimate for the work "Restoring the Yellanur tank."—Informing the Accountant-General that a — has been received from the Superintending Engineer, III Circle, and is under the consideration of the Chief Engineer for Irrigation. November 22, No. 436 I. (R)

Thandava Reservoir project, Vizagapatam division.—Sanctioning a revised estimate of Rs. 700 for the preliminary investigation of the —. December 7, No. 507 I. (B)

Extending the revetment in Chippaleru south lock, Buckingham canal, Chingleput district.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 2,709 for —. December 15, No. 518 I. (B)

EXPENDITURE.

Embankments.—Confirming the principles laid down in Memorandum No. 1039 C., dated 6th February 1914, to regulate the incidence of expenditure on — and approving the consolidated list of — submitted by the Chief Engineer for Irrigation. May 17, No. 190 I. (A)

Forming flood bank of Kistna river at Pratur.—Requesting the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, to see that the expenditure on the work — to end of March 1917 is regularised at an early date. May 17, No. 178 I. (R)

Expenditure to end of April 1917 on "Scheme estimate for maintenance and repairs of Nagavalli Project from February 1917 to January 1918."—Requesting the Superintending Engineer, I Circle, to regularise the —. June 15, No. 207 I. (R)

Budget estimates of the Madras Presidency under the irrigation heads of expenditure for the years 1913-14, 1914-15, 1915-16 and 1916-17.—Forwarding to the Government of Bengal a statement furnishing the —. August 6, No. 439 (G)

Statement of expenditure on gauging operations during the seven years ending 31st March 1917.—Reviewing the —. September 3, No. 369 I. (A)

Imperial Public Works expenditure.—Forwarding to the Government of India a statement showing the actual — during 1916-17 in comparison with the provisions made in the budget and revised estimates. September 5, Nos. 313-14 I. (R)

Watcher's shed at the head of the Kampli channel, Bellary division.—Sanctioning an expenditure of Rs. 15 chargeable to the capital account of the —. September 21, No. 391 I. (B)

Mopad Reservoir Project, Nellore division.—Communicating to the officers concerned letter from the Government of India forwarding copy of their despatch to the Secretary of State for India in which they propose to deal with the excess expenditure involved in the fourth deviation statement of the — in the completion report of the project. September 26, No. 401 I. (A)

EXPENDITURE—*cont.*

Retrenchment of public expenditure.—Recording G.O. No. 711, Financial, recording letter from the Government of India regarding the principles to be observed in preparing the budget estimates for 1918-19 in connexion with the —. November 23, No. 668 (G)

Review of grant and outlay on Irrigation works in the Madras Presidency during 1916-17.—Forwarding to the Government of India copy of the proceedings approving the — submitted by the Chief Engineer for Irrigation. December 15, Nos. 515-16 I. (A)

FAMINE.

Famine relief works.—Recording G.O. No. 399, Revenue, dated 12th February 1917, passing orders on the proposals of the Board of Revenue as to the authorities by which estimates for — should be sanctioned. February 2, No. 113 (G)

Restoration of the flood banks around the Venad and Irakkam islands in the Pulicat lake, Chingleput division.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 1,03,000 for the — as a famine-relief work and ordering that the approval of the Government of India to the classification of the work as a "Minor work for which neither Capital nor Revenue accounts are kept" be obtained. June 8, Nos. 224-25 I. (A)

Famine-relief works.—Recording G.O. No. 1628, Revenue, dated 7th June 1917, recording Board's Proceedings submitting to the Government of India an abstract of the programmes of — in the several districts of the Madras Presidency for 1917-18. July 5, No. 368 (G)

Restoration of the flood banks around the Venad and Irakam islands in the Pulicat lake, Nellore district.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 1,03,000 for the —, for execution as a famine-relief work if required. July 19, No. 298 I. (A)

Famine tools.—Recording G.O. Mis. No. 907 W., dated 9th July 1917, passing orders regarding the disposal of certain tools lent to the District Superintendent of Police, Nellore, and sanctioning the write-off of certain —. July 19, No. 408 (G)

Famine relief.—Recording Chief Engineer, Public Works Department's Memorandum No. 4539-C forwarding G.O. No. 408, Financial, dated 18th June 1917, recording resolution of the Government of India, Finance Department, No. 1216-F., dated 2nd June 1917, amending rule 3, etc., of the rules contained in the Finance Department Resolution No. 361-E.A., dated 24th July 1916, in consequence of the change in the incidence of expenditure on — according to which the expenditure under the head will, with effect from 1st April 1917, be divided between Imperial and Provincial revenues in the proportion of $\frac{3}{4}$ and $\frac{1}{4}$. August 8, No. 454 (G)

Marandahalli project.—Stating that the — cannot be undertaken either as a productive work or as a protective work and requesting the Chief Engineer for Irrigation to submit the estimate revised for sanction under "33. Famine relief." November 5, No. 456 I. (B)

FEES AND FINES.

Pound fess.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, I Circle, G.O. No. 544, Revenue, dated 2nd February 1917, publishing notifications for the levy of enhanced — on cattle found trespassing on the Surada reservoir bund within the limits of the Surada village, Surada taluk, Ganjam district. March 5, No. 135 (G)

Collection of surcharge on goods carried by vessels.—Communicating to officers concerned letter from the Government of India, No. 9681, dated 17th August 1917, regarding the —. September 20, No. 388 I. (A)

Fees to Government Solicitor.—Recording G.O. No. 1796, Home (Judicial), dated 29th August 1917, issuing orders as to the fees to be paid to the Government Solicitor in suits which are compromised. September 28, No. 547 (G)

Suit.—Sanctioning the payment of Rs. 25 to the Government Pleader who conducted O.S. No. 66 of 1917 on the file of the District Munsif's Court, Mēlūr taluk, Madura district. October 1, No. 407 I. (B)

Royalty due to the Madras Government from the Mysore Darbar in regard to the Cauvery power transmission scheme.—Recording G.O. No. 2269, Revenue, dated 26th July 1917, informing the Honourable the Resident in Mysore that the Madras Government are unable to accept the revised terms proposed by the Mysore Darbar in connexion with the —. October 2, No. 554 (G)

Payment due by the Mysore Darbar for the utilization of the power generated at the Cauvery falls at Swasamudram.—Recording G.O. No. 2343, Revenue, dated 1st August 1917, requesting the Honourable the Resident in Mysore to move the Mysore Darbar to arrange for the —. October 2, No. 555 (G)

Preparation of plans and estimates in Public Works Department Workshops, Madras.—Recording G.O. No. 1101 W., dated 27th November 1917, directing that the charge of 5 per cent for the — need not be levied. December 6, No. 697 (G)

FISHERIES.

Fish farm at Ipur, Nellore district.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 3,272 for improvements to the —. January 15, No. 12 I. (A)

Combined Fishery and anti-malarial scheme in the Chingleput district.—Recording G.O. No. 2873, Revenue, dated 13th September 1917, sanctioning estimates connected with the —. December 6, No. 696 (G)

FLOODS.

Floods in Kistna district.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, G.O. No. 12, Revenue, dated 3rd January 1917, recording the detailed report from the Collector of Kistna on the recent —. January 29, No. 53 (G)

Damage caused by floods in the Kistna and Tungabhadra rivers.—Recording notes connected with question No. 56 (original No. 256) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 21st November 1916 regarding — and the answer given thereto. January 31, No. 43 I. (B)

Floods in the North Arcot district.—Recording reports connected with the damages to irrigation works in the North Arcot division. February 8, No. 53 I. (B)

Floods in the Kistna river.—Informing the Agent, Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway, Madras, that in the matter of the protection of the Tenali-Repalli Railway line from — the Government are giving their attention to the subject and intend instituting special enquiry into the causes of the breach. February 15, No. 91 (G)

Kistna flood committee.—Appointing a committee to enquire into and report on the causes of the recent breaches in the right flood bank of the Kistna and to indicate the nature of any special improvements which may be necessary in order to minimise the danger of similar occurrence in future. February 27, No. 85 I. (A)

Damages done to irrigation works in the Salem division by the floods of October 1916.—Recording papers relating to the —. March 7, No. 99 I. (B)

Kistna floods.—Recording notes connected with the proposed enquiry by a committee into the causes of breaches —. March 23, No. 175 (G)

Floods.—Communicating to Superintending Engineer, III Circle, G.O. No. 1154, Revenue, dated 21st April 1917, recording Board's Proceedings on the detailed report of the Collector of Cuddapah about the damage caused to crops owing to — in November last and the steps taken to repair irrigation sources. May 2, No. 231 (G)

Kistna Flood Committee of March 1917.—Ordering, with remarks, that the report of the — be placed on the Editors' Table. May 9, No. 180 I. (A)

Flood.—Communicating to Superintending Engineer, VII Circle, G.O. No. 710 L., Mis., dated 10th May 1917, informing the President, District Board, South Arcot, that the cost of providing sand groynes to the right bank of the Penner river in mile 41/1 of the Pālar road should be met wholly from local funds. May 24, No. 281 (G)

Protection of the Tenali-Repalli Railway from the Kistna floods.—Forwarding to the Agent, Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway, Madras, a copy of G.O. No. 180 I., dated 9th May 1917, containing a report on the causes of the breaches in the river and the steps taken to minimise chances of a recurrence of such breaches. June 15, No. 335 (G)

Damages to crops by floods in the Tammileru, the Budameru and the Rammileru in the Kistna district.—Recording papers connected with question No. 11 (original No. 14) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on 22nd May 1917 regarding the — and the answer given thereto. June 20, No. 243 I. (A)

Colair lake.—Recording Resolution No. XXII moved at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on 4th April 1917 regarding protection from inundation of lands in the vicinity of the —. June 28, No. 264 I. (A)

Rules for patrolling the Kistna flood banks during floods.—Approving certain —. July 10, No. 287 I. (A)

Kistna Flood Committee of March 1917.—Passing orders on the recommendations of the —. August 29, No. 361 I. (A)

Colair floods.—Recording a telegraphic petition, dated 15th September 1917, from the Ryots' Association, Komatlanka, Kaikalur, Kistna district, regarding the —. September 28, No. 541 (G)

Estimates for repairs to the Pennar left and right flood embankments.—Approving the — and requesting, with remarks, to submit detailed estimates for sanction under 33. Famine relief. November 20, No. 485 I (B)

FORMS.

Forms and covers.—Recording G.O. No. 83, Financial, dated 19th February 1917, issuing instructions for the disposal of surplus stocks of —. March 2, No. 125 (G)

Registration and licence forms for motor vessels plying on the West Coast canals, Malabar district.—Approving the —, submitted by the Collector of Malabar. May 10, No. 181 I. (A)

FORMS—*cont.*

Forms.—Recording G.O. No. 266, Financial, dated 28th April 1917, directing that the Common — 85 and 87 (Reminder forms) printed in letter size should hereafter be discontinued and the supply of Common Form 88 (Reminder form with space for reply) restricted to heads of departments only, and that in the case of post-card forms, when there are other papers also to be despatched to the same addressee, the card-form also should be put in the same cover and despatched. May 22, No. 276 (G)

Credit Note forms.—Recording G.O. No. 635 W., dated 10th May 1917, directing that indents for consignee's — of the Railway Administrations be included in annual indents for Common Forms. May 28, No. 297 (G)

Forms.—Recording G.O. No. 355, Financial, dated 1st June 1917, approving the proposal of the Superintendent of Stationery to transfer the form, Secretariat II-69-A—"Recommendations to His Excellency the Governor regarding appointments and postings" to the list of common —. June 15, No. 341 (G)

Forms.—Recording G.O. No. 406, Financial, dated 18th June 1917, approving the proposal of the Superintendent of Stationery to delete form C.F. No. 161 from the list of Common Forms. July 14, No. 396 (G)

Form.—Communicating to Superintending Engineers of all circles, G.O. Mis. No. 2251, Revenue, dated 25th July 1917, prescribing a revised — of application for water for use throughout the Presidency except the Gōdāvari and Kistna deltas and the Periyar tracts. August 8, No. 450 (G)

Standardization of forms.—Communicating to Superintending Engineers of Circles G.O. No. 558, Financial, dated 22nd August 1917, directing that the form of application for water prescribed for use throughout the Presidency except the delta tracts of Gōdāvari, Kistna and Guntūr districts and the Periyar tracts of the Madura district, be made common to the Revenue and Public Works Departments. September 3, No. 509 (G)

Forms.—Recording G.O. No. 605, Financial, dated 18th September 1917, directing that the common form 23, List of papers sent to and from officers on tour, be abolished. October 8, No. 561 (G)

Consignor's credit note for conveyance of stores.—Recording G.O. No. 610, Financial, dated 20th September 1917, directing that — be restored to the list of common forms from which it was deleted under G.O. No. 406, Financial, dated 18th June 1917. October 9, No. 575 (G)

Standardisation of forms.—Recording Public Works Department Memorandum No. 6307 C., dated 11th October 1917, on G.O. No. 644, Financial, dated 3rd October 1917, approving the proposals of the Superintendent of Stationery regarding Form No. C.F. 165 B. "Water Application Forms." October 17, No. 599 (G)

FUNDS.

Resumption of funds.—Recording G.O. No. 338, Revenue, dated 24th December 1916, resuming a sum of Rs. 82,000 from the grant under the heads "42. Irrigation—Major works—Working expenses." January 11, No. 21 (G)

Transfer of funds.—Resuming Rs. 11,600 from the grant for the Cauvery Delta System under "42" and surrendering the amount to the Financial Department. January 18, No. 10 I. (R)

Surrender of Rs. 7,500 under "35".—Communicating to the Accountant-General letter from the Government of India accepting the —. January 22, No. 17 I. (R)

Resumption of funds.—Recording G.O. No. 27, Financial, dated 22nd January 1917, resuming a sum of Rs. 11,600 from the grant under the head "42. Irrigation—Major works—Working expenses". January 31, No. 59 (G)

Funds under class III (b) (1).—Communicating, with remarks, to the officers concerned G.O.R. No. 53, Financial, dated 12th February 1917, sanctioning an additional grant of Rs. 500 under the head "43" to the Kurnool division. February 16, No. 50 I. (R)

Resumption of funds.—Recording G.O.R. No. 49, Financial, dated 9th February 1917, resuming a sum of Rs. 63,000 from the grant under the head "42. Irrigation—Major Works—Working expenses." February 23, No. 106 (G)

Resumption of funds.—Recording G.O.R. No. 73, Financial, dated 20th February 1917, resuming a sum of Rs. 1,15,500 from the grant under the head "43. Minor works and Navigation—Public Works Department." February 28, No. 114 (G)

Resumption of funds.—Recording G.O. R. No. 72, Financial, dated 20th February 1917, resuming a sum of Rs. 27,000 from the grant under the head "42. Irrigation—Major works—Working expenses." February 28, No. 115 (G)

Resumption of funds.—Recording G.O. R. No. 59, Financial, dated 13th February 1917, resuming a sum of Rs. 55,000 from the grant under the head "43. Minor works and Navigation—Public Works Department." February 28, No. 116 (G)

FUNDS—*cont.*

Resumption of funds.—Recording G.O. R. No. 75, Financial, dated 20th February 1917, resuming the sum of Rs. 3,930 allotted in G.O. R. No. 54, Financial, dated 12th February 1917, to "43 Minor works and Navigation—Public Works Department" for repairs to the minor irrigation tank at Tummalacheruvu village, Guntūr district. February 28, No. 117 (G)

Irrigation cess fund.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, G.O. Mis. No. 608, Revenue, dated 27th February 1917, sanctioning the additional allotment of Rs. 3,000 from the — of the Pugalur channel, Karur taluk, Trichinopoly division, for meeting the cost of the construction of *korambus* for that channel during the current year. March 5, No. 133 (G)

Irrigation cess fund.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, G.O. Mis. No 609, Revenue, dated 27th February 1917, sanctioning an allotment of Rs. 2,125 for expenditure on the Vāngal channel in the Trichinopoly division during the current year. March 5, No. 134 (G)

Demands from the Port Trust Board and various local bodies for funds.—Recording notes of the Financial Department requesting to withdraw all instructions issued to heads of departments in dealing with the — in view of the present financial conditions. March 6, No. 141 (G)

Surrender of grants under "35".—Communicating to the Accountant-General the acceptance by the Government of India of — from the Venkatapuram tank and Mopad Reservoir projects. March 21, No. 113 I. (R)

Surrender of grants under "49".—Communicating to the Accountant-General the acceptance by the Government of India of certain —. March 21, No. 115 I. (R)

Surrender of grants.—Distributing among certain systems the surrender of a sum of Rs. 50,000 under "42 Major Works—Working Expenses". March 22, No. 116 I. (R)

Additional grant under "43".—Distributing under the various sub-heads the — allotted in G.O. R. No. 124, Financial, dated 29th March 1917. March 31, No. 132 I. (R)

Resumption of funds.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, G.O. R. No. 129, Financial, dated 31st March 1917, resuming the unspent balance of Rs. 86 from the allotment to meet the expenditure on account of the Kistna Flood Committee. April 4, No. 200 (G)

Diversion of the Kistna left flood bank from 37/0 to 40/4 mile and raising and strengthening it from 40/4 to 43/1 mile.—Informing Superintending Engineer, II Circle, that the execution of the work — will be postponed for the present and that no funds will be allotted for the work this year. May 3, No. 237 (G)

Additional allotment.—Recording G.O. No. 422, Financial, dated 25th June 1917, sanctioning an additional allotment of Rs. 20,000 under the head "43. Minor Works and Navigation—in charge of Civil officers," on account of the execution of repairs to the minor irrigation works damaged by cyclone, etc., in the South Arcot district. July 7, No. 382 (G)

Additional allotment.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, G.O. No. R 170, Financial, dated 30th June 1917, sanctioning an—of Rs. 10 to the head "32. Miscellaneous—Special commissions of inquiry" in order to meet the rent and serang's wages of the boat lent to M.R.Ry. Rai Bahadur P. V. Srinivasa Rao Pantulu Garu for his use as a member of the Kistna Flood Committee. July 10, No. 393 (G)

Demands for incomplete and new works under "42".—Passing orders on the —. July 23, No. 303 I. (B)

Programme of outlay on productive irrigation works for 1918–19.—Approving the — as drawn up by the Chief Engineer for Irrigation and ordering that it be sent to the Government of India. August 6, Nos. 324–25 I. (A)

Demands for incomplete and new works under "49."—Passing orders on the Superintending Engineers' statements of — and also surrenders under the head and ordering that a copy of the proceedings be forwarded to the Government of India. August 11, Nos. 336–37 I. (B)

Schedule of demands for incomplete and new works, and surrenders under the head "43. Minor Works and Navigation" passing orders on the —. August 13, No. 339 I. (B)

Additional allotment.—Recording G.O. No. 253, Financial, dated 18th October 1917, sanctioning an — of Rs. 20,000, under the head "43. Minor Works, and Navigation—Public Works Department" in order to meet the expenditure on account of the Siddapur project and other works October 31, No. 627 (G)

Additional allotment.—Recording G.O. R. No. 277, Financial, sanctioning an — of Rs. 20,000 under the head "43 Minor Works and Navigation—Public Works Department" in order to meet the cost of repairing the damage caused by the cyclone of November 1916 to certain irrigation systems in the North Arcot and South Arcot divisions. November 30, No. 673 (G)

Construction and purchase of vessels.—Recording Public Works Department Memorandum No. 7499 C. recording G.O. No. 463, Marine, regarding —. December 5, No. 689 (G)

FUNDS—*cont.*

Surrender of Rs. 59,000 under "49. Irrigation Works."—Communicating to the Accountant-General, Madras, letter from the Government of India accepting the —. December 6, No. 694 (G)

Funds for the upkeep of certain channels in the Gōdāvari Delta, transferred to the ryots concerned for management.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineers, I and II Circles, G.O. Mis. No. 3804, Revenue, dated 28th November 1917, regarding —. December 6, No. 695 (G)

Surrender of Rs. 6,850 under the head "35. Construction of Protective Irrigation Works."—Forwarding to the Accountant-General, Madras, copy of letter from the Government of India accepting the —. December 6, No. 699 (G)

FUNDS—TRANSFER OF.

Modifications of grants under "42".—Sanctioning certain —. January 22, No. 18 I. (R)

Modifications of grants under "49".—Approving certain — and surrendering Rs. 1,40,000 to the Government of India. January 23, Nos. 20-21 I. (R)

Modifications of grants under "42".—Sanctioning certain —. January 24, No. 22 I. (R)

Modification of grants under "43".—Sanctioning certain —. January 24, No. 24 I. (R)

Modifications of grants under "49".—Sanctioning certain —. January 30, No. 27 I. (R)

Modifications of grants under the head "42. Major Works (Working expenses)."—Sanctioning certain — and surrendering Rs. 63,000 to the Financial Department. February 3, No. 31 I. (R)

Modifications of grants under "43".—Sanctioning certain — and surrendering Rs. 55,000 to the Financial Department. February 9, No. 38 I. (R)

Modification of grants under "43".—Sanctioning certain —. February 9, No. 40 I. (R)

Transfer of funds.—Issuing certain modifications to the — under "42" sanctioned in G.O. R. No. 31 I., dated 3rd February 1917. February 15, No. 44 I. (R)

Modifications of grant under the head "42" Major works (working expenses).—Sanctioning certain — and surrendering Rs. 27,000 to Financial. February 16, No. 45 I. (R)

Modification of grants under "43".—Sanctioning certain — and surrendering Rs. 1,15,500 to Financial. February 16, No. 49 I. (R)

Modifications of grants under "35".—Sanctioning certain — and surrendering Rs. 4,100 to the Government of India. February 19, Nos. 52-53 I. (R)

Modifications of grants under "43".—Sanctioning certain —. February 21, No. 57 I. (R)

Modifications of grants under "35".—Sanctioning certain — and surrendering Rs. 42,000 to the Government of India. February 22, Nos. 59-60 I. (R)

Modifications of grants under "49".—Sanctioning certain — and surrendering Rs. 25,000 to the Government of India. February 22, Nos. 61-62 I. (R)

Modifications of grants under "49".—Approving certain — and surrendering Rs. 64,000 to the Government of India. March 1, Nos. 72-73 I. (R)

Surrender of grants.—Communicating to the Accountant-General letter from the Government of India accepting the surrender of Rs. 1,40,000. March 2, No. 122 (G)

Modifications of grant under "43. Minor Works and Navigation".—Sanctioning certain —. March 9, No. 91 I. (R)

Modification of grants under the head "43."—Sanctioning certain — in the Trichinopoly division. March 17, No. 106 I. (R)

Modifications of grants under "35".—Sanctioning certain —. March 21, No. 111 I. (R)

Modifications of grants under "43" in the Chingleput division.—Sanctioning certain —. March 21, No. 112 I. (R)

Modifications of grants under "43".—Sanctioning certain —. March 22, No. 117 I. (R)

Modifications of grants under "42".—Sanctioning certain — in the VI Circle. March 22, No. 118 I. (R)

Modifications of grants under '43'.—Cancelling certain — in the Kurnool division sanctioned in G.O. R. No. 91 I., dated 9th March 1917. March 27, No. 123 I. (R)

Modifications of grants under the head "43".—Sanctioning certain — in the Gōdāvari Northern division. March 30, No. 128 I. (R)

Modifications of grants under "42".—Sanctioning certain —. March 31, No. 129 I. (R)

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Modifications of grants under the head "43" in the Ganjām division.—Sanctioning certain —. March 31, No. 133 I. (R)

Modifications in the budget estimates of revenue and expenditure for 1917-18.—Recording the papers connected with the — reported to the Accountant-General, Madras. July 19, No. 409 (G)

Modification of grant under "35. Construction of Protective Irrigation works."—Sanctioning certain —. August 1, No. 262 I. (R)

Resumption of funds.—Recording G.O. R. No. 185, Financial, dated 30th July 1917, resuming a sum of Rs. 57,000 from the head "42. Irrigation—Major Works—Working Expenses." August 16, No. 462 (G)

Modifications of grants under "43. Minor Works and Navigation."—Sanctioning certain —. August 22, No. 301 I. (R)

Modification of grants under the head "43. Minor Works and Navigation."—Sanctioning certain —. September 5, No. 312 I. (R)

Modification of grants under "49."—Approving certain — and surrendering Rs. 1 lakh to the Government of India. September 6, Nos. 315-16 I. (R)

Modifications of grants under "49."—Sanctioning certain —. September 11, No. 327 I. (R)

Modifications of grants under "43. Minor Works and Navigation."—Sanctioning certain —. September 13, No. 333 I. (R)

Modifications of grants under "42. Major Works (Working Expenses)".—Sanctioning certain —. September 18, No. 341 I. (R)

Modifications of grants under "43. Minor Works and Navigation".—Sanctioning certain —. September 18, No. 342 I. (R)

Modifications of grants under the head "49. Capital expenditure not charged to Revenue".—Sanctioning certain —. September 22, No. 349 I. (R)

Modifications of grants under the head "42. Major Works—Working Expenses."—Sanctioning certain —. September 25, No. 351 I. (R)

Modifications of grants under the head "42. Major Works—Working Expenses."—Sanctioning certain —. September 28, No. 352 I. (R)

Modification of grants under "49. Irrigation Works."—Communicating to the Accountant-General letter from the Government of India withdrawing from the current year's grant the sum of Rs. 1,00,000 surrendered by the Madras Government in G.O. R. Nos. 315-16 I., dated 6th September 1917. October 1, No. 356 I. (R)

Modification of grants under the head "43. Minor Works and Navigation."—Sanctioning certain —. October 2, No. 357 I. (R)

Modifications of grants under the head "43. Minor Works and Navigation".—Sanctioning certain —. October 5, No. 361 I. (R)

Modifications of grants.—Sanctioning certain — under the head 43. Minor Works and Navigation. October 9, No. 370 I. (R)

Modifications of grant.—Sanctioning certain — under the head "49. Capital Expenditure not charged to Revenue". October 9, No. 371 I. (R)

Modification of grant under the head "43. Minor Works and Navigation."—Sanctioning, with remarks, certain —. October 12, No. 375 I. (R)

Modification of grants under head "49. Capital Expendidure not charged to Revenue."—Sanctioning certain —. October 12, No. 376 I. (R)

Modification of grants under the head "49. Capital expenditure not charged to Revenue".—Sanctioning certain —. October 15, No. 381 I (R)

Modifications of grants under the head "43. Minor Works and Navigation".—Sanctioning certain —. October 15, No. 382 I. (R)

Modification of grants under head "35. Construction of Protective Irrigation works".—Sanctioning certain —. October 16, No. 384 I. (R)

Modification of grants under the head "43. Minor Works and Navigation".—Sanctioning certain—. October 22, No. 396 I. (R)

Modification of grants under head "42. Major Works, Working Expenses".—Sanctioning certain—. October 31, No. 404 I. (R)

Modification of grants under the head "43. Minor Works and Navigation" in the Vennar division.—Sanctioning certain —. November 10, No. 412 I. (R)

Modification of grants under "42. Major Works, Working Expenses."—Sanctioning certain —. November 10, No. 413 I. (R)

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Modification of grants under "43. Capital expenditure not charged to Revenue."—Sanctioning certain — and surrendering Rs. 59,000 to the Government of India.
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November 20, No. 429 I. (R)

Modifications of grants under "35."—Sanctioning certain — and surrendering Rs. 68,500 to the Government of India.
November 21, Nos. 430-31 I. (R)

Modification of grants under the head "43. Minor Works and Navigation."—Sanctioning certain —.
November 27, No. 444 I. (R)

Additional grant of Rs. 7,500 under "43."—Distributing the — allotted in G.O. R. No. 274, Financial, dated 16th November 1917.
November 29, No. 445 I. (R)

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November 29, No. 446 I. (R)

Modification of grants under the head "43. Minor Works and Navigation."—Sanctioning certain— in the Guntūr division.
December 18, No. 466 I. (R)

Modification of grants under "49."—Approving certain — and surrendering Rs. 74,000 to the Government of India.
December 19, Nos. 468-69 I. (R)

GAUGES AND GAUGING OPERATIONS.

Rain gauge at Kesapuram, Cuddapah division.—Sanctioning a revised estimate of Rs. 80 for replacing the rotten wood railings round the—by corrugated iron railways.
January 8, No. 5 I. (A)

Mysore-Madras Cauvery Arbitration.—Passing orders on the inspection notes of Mr. F. E. Morgan, Assistant Chief Engineer for Irrigation, and the Chief Engineer for Irrigation's note thereon, on the sites for gauging the Cauvery in Mysore during 1917 in connexion with the —.
March 19, Nos. 112-13 I. (A)

Discharge observations of the Cauvery dam from 1st June 1917.—Approving, with remarks, the proposals of the Mysore darbar in regard to the arrangements for taking —.
March 28, Nos. 132-33 I. (B)

Quarters for the two overseers employed on gauging operations at the Upper Anicut, Cauvery delta system.—According administrative approval to the proposal to construct —.
May 1, No. 171 I. (B)

Discharge observations at the Cauvery dam.—Recording letter from the Resident in Mysore stating that the Mysore Darbar have agreed to the proposal for conducting joint gauging observations from June 1917.
May 24, No. 287 (G)

Re-fixing gauges in the Mandavyanadhi at Gadikota, Cuddapah division.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 400 for —.
July 11, No. 288 I. (B)

Mysore Chief Engineer's inspection notes of July 1917 on the gauging operations at the Cauvery dam.—Forwarding to the Resident in Mysore a copy of the Madras Chief Engineer's note on the —.
August 8, Nos. 333-34 I. (A)

Permanent gauging station at the Upper Anicut, Cauvery delta system.—Sanctioning estimates amounting to Rs. 13,035 for installing a — and maintaining it during 1917-18.
August 20, No. 347 I. (A)

Notes of an inspection on Mysore gaugings.—Communicating to the Resident in Mysore copy of the — made by the Chief Engineer for Irrigation with the Inspector-General of Irrigation and the Chief Engineer of Mysore in August 1917.
August 27, Nos. 356-57 I. (A)

Statement of expenditure on gauging operations during the seven years ending 31st March 1917.—Reviewing the —.
September 3, No. 369 I. (A)

Establishment required for Cauvery gauging during 1918-19.—Recording notes connected with the preparation of the budget estimate for —.
October 11, No. 582 (G)

Improvements to the calibrating meter tank at Guindy.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 3,800 for —, South Presidency division.
October 16, No. 422 I. (B)

Gauging the Cauvery at Upper anicut.—Sanctioning the write-off of certain materials lost in the course of —.
November 8, No. 461 I. (B)

Indents.—Recording G.O. Mis. No. 3316, Revenue, dated 23rd October 1917, communicating to heads of departments under the Revenue Department letters from the Indian Munitions Board regarding the desirability of avoiding, as far as possible, the placing of orders for Engineering plant and machinery outside the United Kingdom.
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Priority certificates.—Recording G.O. No. 357, Financial (Separate Revenue), dated 21st March 1917, regarding applications for — in respect of telegraph and telephone materials to be obtained from the United Kingdom. March 28, No. 197 (G)

Indents for stores to be obtained from the United Kingdom.—Recording Official Memorandum No. 917-1, Financial (Separate Revenue), dated 20th March 1917, regarding the submission of —. March 28, No. 198 (G) (Confdl.)

Indents for electrical machinery.—Recording G.O. No. 430, Financial (Separate Revenue), dated 4th April 1917, regarding —. April 17, No. 210 (G)

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Indents for consignees' Credit Note Forms.—Recording G.O. No. 635 W., dated 10th May 1917, directing that — of the Railway Administrations be included in annual indents for Common Forms. May 28, No. 297 (G)

Indents.—Recording G.O. Mis. No. 1944, Revenue, dated 29th June 1917, communicating to the heads of departments under the Revenue Department letter from the Indian Munitions Board on the subject of the submission of — to the Director-General of Stores. July 7, No. 383 (G)

Indents.—Recording G.O. No. 2505, Revenue, dated 13th August 1917, communicating to heads of departments under the Revenue Department copy of memorandum from the Indian Munitions Board prescribing the procedure to be followed during the war in sending — to the Director-General of Stores, India Office, London. September 4, No. 514 (G)

Stationery.—Recording G.O. No. 563, Financial (Confidential), communicating copy of letter from the Government of India enjoining that Esterbrook relief nibs should not be indented for. September 28, No. 549 (G)

Needle Lubricators.—Recording Public Works Department No. 12154, dated 22nd September 1917, communicating the instructions of the Government of India that Moncrieff's instead of Lieuvain's be indented for, for the present. October 8, No. 563 (G)

Indents.—Recording G.O. No. 634, Financial, dated 1st October 1917, sanctioning, with remarks, the proposals of the Superintendent of Stationery for the abolition of consolidated —. October 20, No. 611 (G)

Indents.—Recording G.O. No. 649, Financial, dated 5th October 1917, passing orders on letter No. 11056, dated 17th September 1917, from the Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, intimating that copies of —, on the Director-General of Stores need not be submitted to the Government of India. October 25, No. 618 (G)

Coal and coke.—Recording Public Works Department No. 1332 W., dated 23rd October 1917, intimating the instructions of the Government of India in the matter of the indents for supply of — owing to war conditions. October 29, No. 625 (G)

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Inspection notes of the Chief Engineer for Irrigation on the Gauge well, Upper anicut, during January 1917.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, VII Circle, the — for information and necessary action. January 30, No. 38 I. (A)

Inspection notes of the Chief Engineer for Irrigation during January 1917 on the Pelandorai anicut, South Arcot district.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, VII Circle, the — for information and necessary action. February 1, No. 45 I. (A)

Inspection notes of the Inspector-General of Irrigation on the Upper and the Grand Anicuts during January 1917.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, VII Circle, for information and necessary action, the memorandum from the Government of India forwarding the —. February 28, No. 87 I. (A)

Inspection notes of the Inspector-General of Irrigation on the Pelandorai anicut on the Vellar river, South Arcot district, during January 1917.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, VII Circle, the — for information and guidance. March 6, No. 98 I. (A)

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Mysore-Madras Cauvery Arbitration.—Passing orders on the Inspection notes of Mr. F. E. Morgan, Assistant Chief Engineer for Irrigation, and the Chief Engineer for Irrigation's note thereon, on the sites for gauging the Cauvery in Mysore during 1917 in connection with the —. March 19, Nos. 112-13 I. (A)

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Notes of inspection, dated 23rd September 1916, by the Chief Engineer for Irrigation on the works in execution on the Kannambadi dam.—Recording the —. April 5, No. 205 (G)

Notes of an inspection on Mysore gaugings.—Communicating to the Resident in Mysore copy of the — made by the Chief Engineer for Irrigation with the Inspector-General of Irrigation and the Chief Engineer of Mysore in August 1917. August 27, Nos. 356–57 I. (A)

INSTRUMENTS.

Rating of current meters by the Madras Government.—Ordering that a letter be sent to the Government of India informing them that the — will be undertaken on certain specified conditions. May 21, Nos. 197–98 I. (A)

Water-level recorders under test at the Upper anicut.—Furnishing the Government of Bombay with certain information regarding the —. June 11, No. 328 (G)

Self-recording instruments under test at the gauge on the left flank of the Cauvery anicut.—Forwarding to the Secretary to the Government of the Punjab, Public Works Department (Irrigation), a copy of this Government's letter No. 207 G., dated 12th April 1917, regarding reports on the —. June 20, No. 345 (G)

Constructing a domed top over Sluice No. 1 of Panjapatti reservoir for installing a water-level indicator and recorder.—Sanctioning, with remarks, an estimate amounting to Rs. 350 for —. October 17, No. 426 I. (B)

Binoculars.—Recording G.O. No. 1215, Public, dated 5th October 1917, republishing in the *Fort St. George Gazette* and in all District Gazettes a Press Communiqué issued by the Government of India intimating that no offer of — need be made by the public as the supply of instruments is adequate for the present demands of the Military officers. October 25, No. 619 (G)

Self-recording instruments under test at the gauge at the left flank of the Cauvery anicut.—Informing the Government of Bengal that the report on the — is due at the end of the irrigation season and will be issued in March next. October 29, No. 622 (G)

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Minor Irrigation works in the South and North Arcot districts.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, VII Circle, G.O. Mis. No. 2990, Revenue, dated 22nd December 1916, directing the execution by special staff of upper and lower subordinates of the Public Works Department, of —. January 2, No. 1 (G)

Minor works, Public Works Department, Tinnevelly district.—Approving the recommendation of the Chief Engineer for Irrigation to carry out certain corrections to the list of —. January 10, No. 8 I. (A)

Cyclone damages to irrigation works.—Passing orders on the report of the Executive Engineer, Tank Restoration Scheme division, VII Circle, on the — in certain taluks of North Arcot and South Arcot districts. January 30, No. 37 I. (A)

Minor Works, Public Works Department, Madura district.—Approving the recommendation of the Chief Engineer for Irrigation to carry out certain corrections in the list of —. February 26, No. 82 I. (A)

Old maintenance charges.—Fixing the — of certain works falling under classes I and II systems of irrigation and also the extent and revenue of old irrigation under the Kurnool-Cuddapah canal. March 17, Nos. 109–110 I. (A)

List and Map of Minor Works in charge of Public Works Department in the Chittoor district.—Approving the —. May 1, No. 173 I. (A)

Irrigation Works in Tiruppattūr Subdivision damaged by the cyclone of October 1916.—Recording the report of the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, on the —. May 9, No. 250 (G)

Pālār Anicut system.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 2,550 for constructing two rough stone groynes to, and extending front apron between 725 feet and 885 feet of the Pālār anicut. May 19, No 194 I. (A)

Irrigation works.—Communicating to Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, G.O. No. 229, Public (Political), dated 19th May 1917, recording, with remarks, correspondence relating to the constitution by the Travancore Darbar of a masonry drop in the Elathur anicut across the Hanumanadi and requesting the Resident in Travancore and Cochin to convey to the Darbar the Government's regret for the allegations made in G.O. No. 250, Political, dated 8th June 1917. June 6, No. 317 (G)

Provincialisation of irrigation works.—Recording the papers connected with the information furnished to the Hon'ble Rao Bahadur M. Ramachandra Rao regarding the —. July 5, No. 370 (G)

Old irrigation extent and revenue.—Recording G.O. No. 1671, Revenue, dated 12th June 1917, recording Board's Proceedings fixing the — in respect of certain irrigation systems under classes I and II works. July 25, No. 419 (G)

IRRIGATION WORKS—*cont.*

Programme of improvements to irrigation works in the Ceded districts.—Recording papers connected with Question No. 32 asked at the Legislative Council meeting held on 22nd May 1917 regarding the — and the answer given thereto. August 20, No. 344 I. (B)

Minor Works, Public Works Department, Salem district.—Approving an alteration made in the revised list of — in regard to the Konnaiyur anicut channel. September 6, No. 373 I.

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"*Review of irrigation works in India.*"—Furnishing the Inspector-General of Irrigation with a note in connexion with the preparation of a —. October 10, No. 576 (G)

Marandahalli Project.—Stating that the — cannot be undertaken either as a productive work or as a protective work and requesting the Chief Engineer for Irrigation to submit the estimate revised for sanction under "35. Famine Relief." November 5, No. 456 I. (B)

Irrigation works connected with the Sarada river, Vizagapatam district.—Approving the arrangements proposed with a view to expedite the execution of work in respect of the —. November 8, No. 459 I. (A)

Kudimaramat system.—Communicating to all Superintending Engineers G.O. Mis. No. 3485, Revenue, dated 5th November 1917, passing orders on the report of the Board of Revenue regarding the working of the — in this Presidency. November 20, No. 664 (G)

Photographic views of typical Irrigation works.—Issuing revised instructions regarding the submission of —. November 30, No. 493 I. (B)

Annual review of Irrigation works in India.—Forwarding to the Government of India a copy of their — for 1915-16 corrected so as to suit the review for 1916-17. December 15, Nos. 459-60 I. (R)

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Finance Committee and the Budget debates of 1916.—Recording notes connected with the extracts of pamphlet showing further action on the suggestions made in the — which were brought up to date and returned to Financial on 11th January 1917. January 16, No. 30 (G)

Legislative Council question.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, G.O. Mis. No. 162, Revenue, dated 22nd January 1917, recording papers relating to the — regarding the formation of the Bothipuram tank in the Dindigul taluk of the Madura district. January 29, No. 51 (G)

Improvement of drainage in the Gōdāvari and Kistna deltas.—Communicating to Superintending Engineers, I and II Circles, with remarks, extracts from the proceedings of the Legislative Council which met on the 21st November 1916 in connection with a resolution moved by the Hon'ble Rao Bahadur M. Ramachandra Rao Pantulu regarding —. January 31, No. 41 I. (A)

Damage caused by floods in the Kistna and Tungabhadra rivers.—Recording notes connected with question No. 56 (original No. 256) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 21st November 1916 regarding — and the answer given thereto. January 31, No. 43 I (B)

Repair of the embankment on the Mahanadi near Aska.—Recording question No. 176 (original No. 172) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 6th February 1917 regarding — and the answer given thereto. February 17, No. 72 I. (B)

Repairs to Kuntikutta nalla, Berhampur taluk, Ganjām district.—Recording question No. 136 (original No. 124) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 6th February 1917 regarding—and the answer given thereto. February 19, No. 73 I. (B)

Resolution No. VII regarding public enquiry into the drainage systems in the Gōdāvari and Kistna deltas moved at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 22nd November 1916.—Recording Legislative un-official No. 303-1, dated 1st February 1917, forwarding two copies of —. February 19, No. 98 (G)

Damage to irrigation works in Cuddapah and Kurnool divisions.—Recording question No. 117 (original No. 94) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 6th February 1917 regarding — and the answer given thereto. February 22, No. 76 I. (B)

Schemes for the improvement of the drainage of the Kolair lake area.—Recording question No. 134 (original No. 122) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 6th February 1917 regarding — and the answer given thereto. February 22, No. 77 I. (A)

Periodical closure of channels for second crop irrigation in the Gōdāvari delta.—Recording question No. 94 (original No. 160) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 6th February 1917 regarding — and the answer given thereto. February 22, No. 78 I. (B)

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Irrigation under the "kudimaramat" channels in the Penner river, Cuddapah district.—Recording question No. 198 (original No. 194) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 6th February 1917 regarding — and the answer given thereto.
February 23, No. 81 I. (B)

Irrigation works not executed for want of funds.—Recording question No. 186 (original No. 182) asked by the Hon'ble Mr. A. S. Krishna Rao at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 6th February 1917 regarding — and the answer given thereto.
February 26, No. 83 I. (B)

Water-supply to the Palayakayal tank, Tinnevelly district.—Recording Question No. 206 (original No. 214) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 6th February 1917 regarding — and the answer given thereto. February 26, No. 84 I. (B)

Report on the breaches to the flood bank of the Kistna.—Recording Question No. 70 (original No. 55) asked by the Hon'ble Rao Bahadur M. Ramachandra Rao Pantulu at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 6th February 1917, regarding — and the answer given thereto. March 1, No. 89 I. (B)

Repair of the right flood bank of the Kistna at Pratur.—Recording Question No. 135 (original No. 123) asked by the Hon'ble Mr. B. Venkatapathi Raju at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 6th February 1917, regarding — and the answer given thereto.
March 1, No. 90 I. (B)

Sand blocks in the Rajan channel, Tanjore district.—Recording papers connected with Question No. 8 (original No. 4) asked by the Hon'ble Mr. S. R. M. Annamalai Chettiyar at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 6th February 1917, regarding — and the answer given thereto. March 2, No. 93 I. (B)

Condition of the irrigation tank of Pakkam, South Arcot district.—Recording, with remarks, Question No. 62 (original No. 50) asked by the Hon'ble Diwan Bahadur A. Subbarayalu Reddiyar Avargal, at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 6th February 1917, regarding the — and the answer given thereto. March 3, No. 95 I. (B)

Construction of a dam at Kunduchira near Tellicherry, South Malabar district.—Recording Question No. 36 (original No. 30) asked by the Hon'ble Mr. K. Sadasiva Bhat at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 6th February 1917, regarding the — and the answer given thereto. March 3, No. 96 I. (B)

Protective embankments to the Hindri and the Tungabhadra rivers in the Kurnool division.—Recording notes connected with Question No. 86 asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on 6th February 1917. March 13, No. 159 (G)

Drainage of the Kolair lake, Kistna Eastern delta.—Recording the note prepared in connection with the resolution regarding the provision under "42" for the — during 1917-18.
March 19, No. 171 (G)

Repairs to the drains in the Gōdāvari delta system.—Recording note prepared in connection with a resolution (subsequently disallowed) regarding increased provision for — during 1917-18.
March 23, No. 180 (G)

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Localisation of the irrigable wet lands in Kistna Eastern delta.—Passing orders on the resolution moved by the Hon'ble Rao Bahadur M. Ramachandra Rao Pantulu at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 2nd April 1917 regarding the —.
April 20, No. 153 I. (A)

Canals of the Gōdāvari Western delta.—Recording question No. 25 (original No. 21) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 2nd April 1917 regarding the keeping open of the — till the 15th May and the answer given thereto May 17, No. 191 I. (B)

Condition of the irrigation tank of Pakkam, South Arcot district.—Recording, with remarks, question No. 48 (original No. 50) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 2nd April 1917 regarding the — and the answer given thereto. May 17, No. 192 I. (B)

Improvements to the headsluices of the Thadepalle and Arenkota channels, Coimbatore division.—Recording notes connected with resolution No. XXXI passed at the meeting of the Legislative Council on 14th March 1917 regarding the provision for —. May 23, No. 279 (G)

Buckingham and Vēdāranniyam canals.—Recording question No. 116 asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on 2nd May 1917 and the answer given thereto regarding the —.
May 29, No. 213 I. (A)

Increased provision for Tank Restoration Scheme works.—Recording notes connected with the resolution moved at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 14th March 1917 regarding — in the budget estimate for 1917-18. June 5, No. 314 (G)

JUDICIAL AND LEGISLATIVE—*cont.*

Remodelling of distributaries in the Gōdāvari delta.—Recording notes connected with question No. 10 (original No. 13) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on 22nd May 1917 regarding the — and the answer given thereto. June 15, No. 238 I. (A)

Damages to crops by floods in the Tammileru, the Budameru and the Rammileru in the Kistna district.—Recording papers connected with question No. 11 (original No. 14) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on 22nd May 1917 regarding the — and the answer given thereto. June 20, No. 243 I. (A)

Clearing the Buckingham Canal of silt.—Recording question No. 12 (original No. 71) asked by the Hon'ble Rao Bahadur S. R. M. Annamalai Chettiar Avargal at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on 6th February 1917 about — and the answer given thereto. June 20, No. 245 I. (A)

Supply channel to the Ottappidāram-Periyakulam tank in Tinnevelly district.—Recording notes connected with question No. 22 (original No. 18) asked at the Legislative Council meeting held on 22nd May 1917 regarding — and the answer given thereto. June 21, No. 246 I. (B)

Pulaparti anicut of the Varahanadhi river in the Vizagapatam district.—Recording papers connected with question No. 74 (original No. 72) asked at the Legislative Council meeting held on 22nd May 1917 regarding the opening of screw-gearing shutters and the raising of the crest level of the — and the answer given thereto. June 21, No. 247 I. (B)

Regulator across the Korayar at Gopalasamudram bridge, Tanjore district.—Recording papers connected with question No. 80 (original No. 78) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on 22nd May 1917 regarding the construction of a — and the answer given thereto. June 21, No. 248 I. (B)

Decrease in the quantity of water in the Chembarambakkam tank in the Chingleput district.—Recording papers connected with question No. 88 (original No. 86) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on 22nd May 1917 regarding the — and the answer given thereto. June 21, No. 249 I. (B)

Construction of drops and notches in the Gōdāvari deltas during 1916–17.—Recording, with remarks, papers connected with question No. 48 (original No. 45) regarding the progress made in the — and the answer given thereto. June 22, No. 251 I. (A)

Buckingham and Vēdāranniyam canals.—Passing orders on the subject of providing facilities for navigation in the — with reference to Resolution No. XXIX moved by the Hon'ble Mr. K. Chidambaranatha Mudaliyar at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on 14th March 1917. June 23, No. 252 I. (A)

Restoration of the Kinnivattan channel in the Chingleput district.—Recording papers connected with certain questions asked at the meetings of the Legislative Council held on the 2nd April and 22nd May 1917 regarding the — and the answers given thereto. June 23, No. 254 I. (B)

Boat traffic in the navigable canals of the Gōdāvari delta.—Recording papers connected with question No. 52 (original No. 49) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on 22nd May 1917 regarding the — and the answer given thereto. June 23, No. 256 I. (B)

Discontinuance of the Tank Restoration Scheme party that worked in the Narasapatam or Golconda taluk in the Vizagapatam district.—Recording papers connected with question No. 73 (original No. 71) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on 22nd May 1917 regarding the — and the answer given thereto. June 23, No. 257 I. (B)

Tandava irrigation project near Tuni, Gōdāvari district.—Recording the papers connected with question No. 70 (original No. 68) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on 22nd May 1917 regarding the — and the answer given thereto. June 25, No. 259 I. (B)

Dry lands converted into wet in the Gōdāvari delta.—Recording notes connected with a question asked in the meeting of the Legislative Council on 22nd May 1917. June 26, No. 357 (G)

Kolair lake.—Recording Resolution No. XXII moved at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on 4th April 1917 regarding protection from inundation of lands in the vicinity of the —. June 28, No. 264 I. (A)

Council proceedings.—Recording G.O. No. 56, Local and Municipal Department (Legislative recording notes connected with the checking of proofs of speeches of the Honourable Members by the departments of the Secretariat. August 1, No. 434 (G)

Proceedings of Legislative Councils.—Recording G.O. Mis. No. 47, Local and Municipal Department (Legislative), dated 28th June 1917, recording notes on the subject of bringing to the notice of Secretariat departments debates on matters of interest in the Indian Legislative Council and the Legislative Councils of other provinces. August 3, No. 436 (G)

Irrigation in the Gōdāvari Western delta.—Recording papers connected with a resolution moved by the Hon'ble Rao Bahadur M. Ramachandra Rao at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 22nd May 1917 regarding the —. August 13, No. 338 I. (A)

JUDICIAL AND LEGISLATIVE—*cont.*

Programme of improvements to irrigation works in the Ceded districts.—Recording papers connected with Question No. 32 asked at the Legislative Council meeting held on 22nd May 1917 recording the — and the answer given thereto. August 20, No. 344 I. (B)

Conversion of mud dams into masonry ones.—Recording the report of the Superintending Engineer, VII Circle, on a question asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on 2nd April 1917 on the subject of —. August 23, No. 487 (G)

Ambalavana Pandarasannadhi v. Secretary of State.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, G.O. No. 3257, Revenue, Press, dated 19th October 1917, communicating the judgment of the Privy Council and other documents relating to the appeal of — November 5, No. 629 (G)

Legislative Council question.—Recording with remarks letters received from the Superintending Engineer, III Circle, submitting information regarding the projects in the Ceded districts, included in the list drawn up by Mr. H. E. Clerk for the Irrigation Commission in 1902, about which it was stated in reply to a — No. 33 asked at the meeting of the Council held on 23rd May 1917, that Government had no information. November 10, No. 464 I. (A)

Buckingham canal, Chingleput division.—Passing orders on the letter from the Superintending Engineer explaining the delay to carry out the instructions for arranging a trial trip to test the navigability of the — and directing that a Bezwada barge which is in Madras should be sent to Chinnaganjam and back and the result of the trip reported and that the deepening of the canal in the northern portion should be carried out. November 30, No. 671 (G)

Urlam water-cess appeal.—Communicating G.O. No. 3257, Revenue, dated 19th October 1917, regarding —. December 1, No. 681 (G)

Water-supply to the Palayacal tank, Tinnevelly district.—Recording question No. 118 (original No. 109) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 20th November 1917, regarding — and the answer given thereto. December 3, No. 495 I. (B)

Silt clearance in the Wyacondan channel, Trichinopoly district.—Recording, with remarks, question No. 16 (original No. 13) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on 20th November 1917, regarding— and the answer given thereto. December 3, No. 496 I. (B)

Repair of minor drains in the Gōdāvari delta.—Recording notes connected with question No. 126 (original No. 112) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 20th November 1917, regarding — and the answer given thereto. December 3, No. 497 I. (B)

Estimated liability regarding the Nagavali project, Vizagapatam.—Recording notes connected with question No. 135 (original No. 137) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on 20th November 1917, regarding the — and the answer given thereto. December 3, No. 499 I. (B)

Failure of water-supply in the Tanjore delta in July 1917, and giving of previous notice of the anticipated shortage.—Recording question No. 159 (original No. 143) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 20th November 1917, regarding the — and the answer given thereto. December 3, No. 500 I. (B)

Restoration of Kinnivatan channel, Chingleput district.—Recording question No. 210 (original No. 215) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 20th November 1917, regarding the — and the answer given thereto. December 3, No. 501 I. (B)

New head-sluice to the Wyacondan channel, Trichinopoly district.—Recording notes connected with question No. 15 (original No. 12) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on 20th November 1917 regarding — and the answer given thereto. December 3, No. 502 I. (B)

Traffic in the Buckingham and Vedaranniyam canals.—Recording, with remarks, question No. 222 (original No. 232) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 20th November 1917 regarding — and the answer given thereto. December 4, No. 503 I. (B)

Damages caused annually by the Kolair lake inundation.—Recording papers connected with resolution XXIV for the meeting of Legislative Council on 20th November 1917 regarding the appointment of special officers to investigate the — and to suggest practical remedies for the same. December 4, No. 684 (G)

Cauvery dam at Kannambadi, Mysore.—Recording notes connected with Question No. 224 (original No. 234) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on 20th November 1917 regarding — and the answer given thereto. December 5, No. 505 I. (B)

Legislation in Local Councils.—Recording G.O. No. 91, Legislative, dated 14th November 1917, recording letter from the Government of India directing that the two months mentioned in rule 4 of their instruction to Local Governments regarding — should until further orders be construed as three months. December 5, No. 687 (G)

JUDICIAL AND LEGISLATIVE—*cont.*

Drainage of the Gōdāvari Delta and the Kolair and the construction of Village roads in the delta.—Recording copy of notes furnished to the Financial Department on the suggestion of the Hon'ble K. R. V. Krishna Rao Pantulu made in connexion with the ensuing Finance Committee regarding the provision of adequate funds in the budget estimate for 1918–19 for improvements to the —. December 8, No. 703 (G)

Land acquisition made in the last five years.—Recording papers connected with question No. 55 (original No. 49) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 20th November 1917 regarding — and the answer given thereto. December 10, No. 706 (G)

Repairs to the embankment on the Mahanadi near Aska.—Recording question No. 63 (original No. 57) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on 20th November 1917, regarding the — and the answer given thereto. December 11, No. 511 I. (B)

Subjects to be dealt with by the Madras Member in connexion with the Budget debate at the Indian Legislative Council to be held in March 1918.—Recording note furnished to the Financial stating that there are no subjects of the kind in this department. December 28, No. 730 (G)

LAKES.

Damages caused annually by the Kollair lake inundations.—Recording papers connected with resolution No. XXIV for the meeting of the Legislative Council on 20th November 1917 regarding the appointment of a special officer to investigate the — and to suggest practical measures to remedy the same. December 4, No. 684 (G)

Drainage of the Gōdāvari Delta and the Kolair and the construction of village roads in the delta.—Recording copy of notes furnished to Financial Department, on the suggestion of the Hon'ble Mr. K. R. V. Krishna Rao Pantulu made in connexion with the ensuing Finance Committee regarding the provision of adequate funds in the budget estimate for 1918–19 for improvements to the —. December 8, No. 703 (G)

LAND—DISTRICTS.

ANANTAPUR

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — for extending the escape of the Kotha tank of Nallacheruvu village, Kadiri taluk. August 15, No. 291 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of notification for the acquisition of 22 cents of — in Inagalur village, Kadiri taluk, Anantapur district, required for the escape at left flank of the Nayani tank. September 1, No. 307 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 1·13 acres of — in Yellanur village, Tadpatri taluk, Anantapur district, required for the excavation of a distributary channel. October 4, No. 358 I. (R)

ARCOT, NORTH.

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for closing the breaches of the tank in Velapakkam village, Wallaja taluk. February 7, No. 37 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification withdrawing from the acquisition of certain — notified as being required for the excavation of a surplus channel in Chengam village, Tiruvannamalai taluk. March 9, No. 93 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 6 cents of — in Thellar village, Wandiwash taluk, required for closing the breaches in the bund of the big tank. June 9, No. 201 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification in the *Fort St. George Gazette* for the acquisition of 17 cents of — in Iralacheri village, Arkonam taluk, North Arcot district, required for taking earth for closing a breach in the flood bank of Kaveripakam surplus channel. November 16, No. 424 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of a notification for the acquisition of 3·30 acres of — in Ganapatipuram village, Arkonam taluk, North Arcot district, required for repairs to the bund of Murungai tank. December 1, No. 448 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of a notification for the acquisition of 39 cents of — in Sembedu village, Arkonam taluk, North Arcot district, required for widening the bund of the Soganur tank. December 20, No. 474 I. (R)

ARCOT, SOUTH.

Land.—Directing the publication of notifications for the acquisition of — required for the high level branch channel of the Toludur project, Vriddhachalam taluk. January 22, No. 16 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification of — in Pothiramangalam village, Vriddhachalam taluk, required for the high level branch of No. 2 distributary connected with the Toludur project. January 28, No. 19 I. (R)

LAND—DISTRICTS—*cont.*

ARCOT, SOUTH—*cont.*

Land.—Directing the publication of notifications for the acquisition of — required for the No. 3 distributary to the high level channel connected with the Toludur project works in T. Neivasal and Abilangudi villages, Vriddhachalam taluk. February 5, No. 32 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 0·69 of an acre of — in Kilathirukalipalai village, Chidambaram taluk, required for diverting the Kilathirukalipalai channel. February 5, No. 34 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of two notifications for the acquisition of — in Venkarumbur and Sathiavadi villages of Vriddhachalam taluk required for the No. 7 distributary of the high level branch channel of the Toludur project. February 7, No. 35 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of two notifications for the acquisition of — in Sathiavadi and Pu: Kollatankurichi villages of Vriddhachalam taluk required for the No. 8 distributary to the high level branch channel of the Toludur project. February 7, No. 36 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — in Kadangudi village, Vriddhachalam taluk, required for the No. 1 distributary of the high level branch channel, Toludur project. February 12, No. 42 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — in Pothiramangalam village, Vriddhachalam taluk, required for the No. 2 distributary of the high level branch channel, connected with the Toludur project. February 19, No. 54 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for the Valudareddy distributary channel in Kappur village, Villupuram taluk. February 23, No. 63 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required in Kilacheruvai village, Vriddhachalam taluk, for forming an approach road from Tittagudi-Toludur road to the inspection bungalow near Tittagudi reservoir bund. February 23, No. 64 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — in Pattur village, Vriddhachalam taluk, required for the No. 3 distributary of the high level branch channel of the Toludur project. February 23, No. 65 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for the diversion of the Nallur Madagadipattu channel in Gangarampalayam village, Villupuram taluk. February 26, No. 69 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of certain notifications for the acquisition of — required for the high level branch channel connected with the Toludur project in the Vriddhachalam taluk. March 8, No. 89 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of certain notifications for the acquisition of — required for the Toludur project, Vriddhachalam taluk. March 10, No. 94 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for the formation of an irrigation channel in Sankarapuram village, Kallakurichi taluk. March 12, No. 96 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required in connection with the excavation of the main supply channel, Toludur project, Vriddhachalam taluk. March 12, No. 98 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for the low level channel connected with the Toludur project works. March 19, No. 109 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — in Adamangalam village, Vriddhachalam taluk, required for No. 2 distributary of low level branch channel connected with Toludur Project works. April 12, No. 143 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 4·39 acres of — required for No. 1 distributary of low level channel, Toludur Project works, in Adamangalam village, Vriddhachalam taluk. April 23, No. 150 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification in the *Fort St. George Gazette* for the acquisition of 1·23 acres of — required for the low level channel connected with the Toludur Project works, in the Erappavur village, Vriddhachalam taluk. April 23, No. 152 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification in the *Fort St. George Gazette* for the acquisition of 2·61 acres of — required for No. 3 distributary of low level branch channel, Toludur Project works in Marudathur village, Vriddhachalam taluk. April 23, No. 153 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification in the *Fort St. George Gazette* for the acquisition of 48 cents of — required for No. 3 distributary of the low level branch channel, Toludur Project works, in Arugheri village, Vriddhachalam taluk. April 23, No. 154 I. (R)

LAND—DISTRICTS—*cont.*

ARCOT, SOUTH—*cont.*

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification in the *Fort St. George Gazette* for the acquisition of 1·42 acres of — required for No. 3 distributary of the low level branch channel, Toludur Project works in Kolar village, Vriddhachalam taluk. April 23, No. 155 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification in the *Fort St. George Gazette* for the acquisition of 7·41 acres of — required for No. 3 distributary of low level branch channel, Toludur Project works in Erappavur village, Vriddhachalam taluk. April 23, No. 156 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for the low level channel connected with the Toludur Project Works in Arugeri village, Vriddhachalam taluk. May 12, No. 170 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for No. 1 Distributary of low level channel connected with the Toludur Project Works in Tholar village, Vriddhachalam taluk May 12, No. 171 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for the low level channel connected with the Toludur Project Works in Vadakarai village, Vriddhachalam taluk. May 12, No. 172 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for the No. 3 Distributary of low level branch channel connected with the Toludur Project Works in Narasingamangalam village, Vriddhachalam taluk. May 12, No. 173 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for improvements to the Pulikutti channel in Sedapalaiyam village, Cuddalore taluk. May 12, No. 174 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for the low level channel connected with the Toludur Project Works in Konur village, Vriddhachalam taluk. May 12, No. 175 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 0·24 acre of — in Mēlūr village, Vriddhāchalam taluk, required for the low level channel connected with the Toludur project. May 21, No. 187 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 2·59 acres of — in Kodikalam village, Vriddhāchalam taluk, required for the 4th distributary high level channel, Toludur project. May 21, No. 188 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 4·44 acres of — in Tiruvaduthurai village, Vriddhāchalam taluk, required for the 4th distributary high level channel, Toludur project. May 23, No. 191 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 3·46 acres of — in Gudalur village, Vriddhāchalam taluk, required for No. 4 distributary of the high level channel, Toludur project. May 25, No. 193 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 1·52 acres of — required for No. 5 distributary of the high level channel, Toludur project, in Venkarumbur village, Vriddachalam taluk. June 11, No. 202 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 4·43 acres of — required for No. 5 distributary of the high level channel, Toludur project, in Karaiyur village, Vriddachalam taluk. June 11, No. 203 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 5·23 acres of — in O. Kiranur village, Vriddhachalam taluk, required for No. V distributary, Toludur project. June 23, No. 211 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 5·98 acres of — in Erayur village, Vriddhachalam taluk, required for No. V distributary high level channel, Toludur project. June 23, No. 212 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of an erratum to the notification published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 19th June 1917, under G.O. No. 203 I., dated 11th June 1917, for land required for Toludur project works. July 4, No. 218 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 9·39 acres of — in Gudalur village, Vriddhāchalam taluk, South Arcot district, required for No. 5 Distributary of the High level channel, Toludur project. July 9, No. 228 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 2·41 acres of — in Kothattai village, Vriddhāchalam taluk, South Arcot district, required for the No. 2 Minor Distributary of No. 5 Distributary of the High level channel, Toludur project. July 9, No. 230 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 2·65 acres of — in Kothattai village, Vriddhāchalam taluk, South Arcot district, required for distributaries, Toludur project. July 9, No. 231 I. (R)

LAND—DISTRICTS—*cont.*

ARCOT, SOUTH—*cont.*

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 11·17 acres of — in Tholar village, Vriddhāchalam taluk, South Arcot district, required for No. 2 Distributary of the High level channel, Toludur project. July 9, No. 232 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 2·46 acres of — in Saundirayasolapuram village, Vriddhāchalam taluk, for No. 2 Minor Distributary of the High Level branch channel connected with the Toludur Project, South Arcot district. July 16, No. 241 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 2·60 acres of — in PePovanur village, Vriddhāchalam taluk, South Arcot district, required for No. 3 Minor Distributary of No. 5 Distributary, High Level channel, Toludur project. July 16, No. 243 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 9·14 acres of — in Kodikkalam village, Vriddhāchalam taluk, South Arcot district, required for No. 5 Distributary of the High Level channel, Toludur project. July 16, No. 244 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 0·67 acre of — in Kilnemali village, Vriddhāchalam taluk, South Arcot district, for the No. 2 Minor Distributary of No. 5 Distributary, High Level channel, Toludur project. July 16, No. 245 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 2·53 acres of — in Tholar village, Vriddhāchalam taluk, South Arcot district, required for No. 2 Minor Distributary, High Level channel, Toludur Project. July 16, No. 246 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 0·92 acre of — in Deevalur village, Vriddhāchalam taluk, South Arcot district, required for No. 5 Distributary High Level branch, Toludur Project. July 16, No. 247 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 2·83 and 0·22 acres of — in Mel Nemalai and Pe Kollathankurichi villages, Vriddhāchalam taluk, South Arcot district, required for No. 2 Minor Distributary to No. 5 Distributary of the High Level channel, Toludur Project. July 18, No. 250 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 7·87 acres of — in Thirumalaiyagaram village, Vriddhachalam taluk, South Arcot district, required for the No. 5 distributary of the high level channel, Toludur Project. July 23, No. 253 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 4·29 acres of — in Soundaryasholapuram village, Vriddhachalam taluk, South Arcot district, required for No. 1 minor distributary to No. 6 distributary of the high level channel, Toludur Project. July 23, No. 254 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 6·11 acres of — in Pennadam and Soundaryasholapuram villages, Vriddhachalam taluk, South Arcot district, for the No. 6 distributary of the high level branch, Toludur Project. July 23, No. 255 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — in Pe. Kollathankurichi village, Vriddhachalam taluk, for No. 5 distributary of the high level branch connected with the Toludur project works. August 13, No. 277 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of lands in Maligaikottan, Kosappalam and Ariyaravi villages, Vriddhachalam taluk, for No. 1 minor distributary to No. 5 distributary of high level channel connected with the Toludur project works. August 13, No. 278 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — in Pennedam, Maligaikottan and Ariyaravi villages, Vriddhachalam taluk, for a bodhi channel from No. 1 minor to No. 5 distributary, Toludur project works. August 13, No. 279 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — in Erayur village, Vriddhachalam taluk, required for No. 1 minor distributary of No. 5 distributary of high level channel connected with the Toludur project works. August 13, No. 280 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — in Pe. Ponnēri village, Vriddhachalam taluk, for the No. 1 minor distributary to No. 5 distributary of the high level branch channel connected with the Toludur project works. August 13, No. 281 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — in Kothattai village, Vriddhachalam taluk, for the No. 5 distributary of the high level channel, Toludur project works. August 13, No. 282 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of lands in Pennedam and Irulampatti villages, Vriddhachalam taluk, for the bodhi channel from the high level branch, Toludur project. August 13, No. 283 I. (R)

LAND—DISTRICTS—*cont.*

ARCOT, SOUTH—*cont.*

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — in the villages of Thirumalaiyagaram, Pe. Kollathankurichi and Nandimangalam, Vriddhachalam taluk, for the No. 3 distributary to No. 5 distributary of high level channel, Toludur project works. August 13, No. 284 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — in Pennedam village, Vriddhachalam taluk, for No. 1 distributary to No. 5 distributary of high level branch, Toludur project works. August 13, No. 285 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for a new 6 feet cattle-crossing at mile 99/3-4 in Ayyankoilpathu village, Villupuram taluk. August 17, No. 295 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 14·34 acres of — in Terkkuvadakkuputtūr village, Vriddhachalam taluk, South Arcot district, required for the disposal of the cross-drainages entering the Pelandorai main channel. September 3, No. 310 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 6·49 acres of — in Thenkuchipalaiyam village, Villupuram taluk, South Arcot district, required for diverting the left flood-bank of the Ponniar above the South Indian Railway bridge. September 10, No. 325 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of a notification for the acquisition of 90 cents of — in the Sattiamangalam village, Gingee taluk, South Arcot district, required for the formation of a flood bank on the right side of the new Tenpalai anicut. October 8, No. 368 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of a notification for the acquisition of 4·18 acres of — required for excavating a channel to the drainage odai in Pulavalam village, Vriddhachalam taluk, South Arcot district. November 3, No. 408 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of a notification for the acquisition of 61 cents of — in Olukkai village, Villupuram taluk, South Arcot district, required for the construction of dividing dams in Kandambakam and Kandanadhi supply channels and the excavation of a supply channel. November 21, No. 432 I. (R)

BELLARY.

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for repairs to Thimmanayani tank, Rayadrug taluk. March 5, No. 84 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — for the extension of the byewash of the Kammalvari tank in Gummagatta village, Rayadrug taluk. May 14, No. 176 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 1·03 acres of — required for the surplus course of Harisamudram channel in Bandur village, Rayadrug taluk. June 11, No. 204 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 3·82 acres of — required for repairs to the Kothapalli tank, Rayadrug taluk. August 24, No. 302 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 7 cents of — in Ramasagar village, Hospet taluk, Bellary district, required for forming a pathway from the head sluice of the Kampli channel to the watchman's hut. September 10, No. 321 I. (R)

Land.—Issuing errata to the schedule of — required for forming a pathway from head-sluice, Kampli channel, to the watchman's hut, Bellary district, printed on page 1133 of the *Fort St. George Gazette* of the 18th September 1917. October 8, No. 364 I. (R)

CHINGLEPUT.

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 0·43 acre of — in Vinnamangalam village, Madurantakam taluk, required for the extension of Kaithandalam Periya eri. August 8, No. 270 I. (R).

Land.—Directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of a notification for the acquisition of two cents of — in Alanjeri village, Madurantakam taluk, Chingleput district, required for improvements to the Velathodu tank. November 12, No. 415 I. (R)

Extension of the date of completion of the work "Acquiring land in the east bank of Buckingham canal between 121/7 and Pyderu south lock, Chingleput division."—Recording sanction accorded by the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, to the — till 31st March 1919. November 12, No. 416 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of a notification for the acquisition of 13 cents of land in Palur village, Chingleput taluk, Chingleput district, required for diversion of the Villiambakam river channel. December 3, No. 450 I. (R)

LAND—DISTRICTS—*cont.*

CHITTOOR.

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for extending the bund of Konagatla cheruvu of Morampalli village, Chittoor taluk. March 21, No. 114 I. (R)

CUDDAPAH.

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for excavating field channels in Somireddipally village, Badvel taluk. February 19, No. 55 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for Ukkayapalli main channel in Cuddapah Sahar village, Cuddapah taluk. June 25, No. 213 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of a notification for the acquisition of 32 cents of land in Ukkayapalli village, Cuddapah taluk, Cuddapah district, required for widening the Local Fund culvert at 3 miles, 22 chains of the Ukkayapalli project. November 7, No. 410 I. (R)

GANJAM.

Land.—Directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of a notification for the acquisition of 0·09 acre of — required for a surplus course at the rear of the outlet at 4/1 of the Ichchhapuram extension channel in Harodanga village, Berhampur taluk. April 21, No. 147 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of a notification for the acquisition of 0·02 acre of — required for repairing the Mahanadi flood damages at Banganada, Kukundia village, Aska town. April 21, No. 148 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for improvements to Sagarabondho of Bhavanipur village in the Berhampur taluk. May 17, No. 180 I. (R)

Land.—Recording correspondence regarding the temporary occupation of — for repairing the flood damages to the left bank of the Nagarikotakam channel in Karakavalasa village, Parlākimedi taluk. May 22, No. 190 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 1·66 acres of — in Brahmana-Chayi village, Chatrapur taluk, required for diverting the flood bank of the Rushikulya river. May 30, No. 196 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 0·37 acre of — in Bori village, Aska taluk, Ganjām district, required for repairing Bori Sagaram Nalla. July 14, No. 237 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 3 cents of — in survey field Nos. 770 and 771 in Pedapadu village in the Chicacole taluk, Ganjām district, required for revetting the left margin of Wadada channel. July 16, No. 240 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 0·05 acre of — in Gara village, Chicacole taluk required for the diversion of Kalingapatnam branch channel. August 6, No. 266 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of one cent of — required for a field channel from Mirthi Batti in Balaga village, Chicacole taluk. August 20, No. 297 I. (R)

Land.—Approving the temporary occupation of — in Biripuram village, Ganjām district, for carrying out repairs to the bund of the Karatholi Tampara. September 10, No. 319 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 24 cents of — in Lanja village, Berhampur taluk, Ganjām district, required for the protection of the Ichchapuram channel. September 12, No. 332 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 9·70 acres of — in Dengapadra and Gobra villages, Goomsur taluk, Ganjām district, required for improvements to the outfall nalla at 1/6 of the Mahanadi canal. September 22, No. 345 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of a notification for the acquisition of 4·15 acres of — in Nuvagada village, Goomsur taluk, Ganjām district, required for diverting and extending the left flood-bank of the Mahanadi. October 15, No. 378 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of a notification for the acquisition of 6 cents of land in Jogudi village, Berhampur taluk, Ganjām district, required for diverting the Konkaya Nala. October 18, No. 386 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of a notification for the acquisition of 6 cents of — in Jagannadapur village, Chatrapur taluk, Ganjām district, required for the excavation of a supply channel to the lands of Pulasara from Karatholi Tampara Nala. October 23, No. 398 I. (R)

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LAND—DISTRICTS—*cont.*

GANJAM—*cont.*

Land.—Directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of a notification for the acquisition of 26 cents of — in Ankusapur village, Berhampur taluk, Ganjām district, required for protecting the Ichchapuram canal from pollution. October 25, No. 400 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of a notification for the acquisition of 1·20 acres of — in Bendalia village, Berhampur taluk, Ganjām district, required for repairing flood damages to Sappuva nala. November 2, No. 406 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification in the *Fort St. George Gazette* for the acquisition of 6 cents of land in Dohimundali village, Aska taluk, Ganjām district, required for the protection of the right flood bank of the Mahanadi. November 16, No. 423 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of a notification for the acquisition of 3·88 acres of — in Nimmakhandi village, Berhampur taluk, Ganjām district, required for the extension of the Tentulia tank. December 20, No. 473 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of a notification for the acquisition of 5·44 cents of land in Lalsingi village, Goomsur taluk, Ganjām district, required for the Russellkonda reservoir supply channel. December 22, No. 477 I. (R)

GODAVARI.

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for excavating a field bothi to S. Nos. 255/2 and 255/3 of Adurru village, Razole taluk. February 16, No. 46 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — in S.F. No. 146/1 of Chodavaram, required for a field bothi in Narasaraopeta channel. February 16, No. 48 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — in Kesavaram village, Ramachandrapuram taluk, required for repairs to the Mandapeta canal. February 19, No. 56 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for excavating a field channel in the Chodavaram village, Ramachandrapuram taluk. February 26, No. 66 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for a field bothi in S. No. 88-A of Amzur village, Ramachandrapuram taluk. February 26, No. 67 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for repairs to the Gopigunta tank of Narendrapuram village, Rajahmundry taluk. March 19, No. 107 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for a field bodhi in S.F. No. 406/1-B of Uppulaguptam village, Amalapuram taluk. April 3, No. 135 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for a field bodhi along the boundary of S.F. Nos. 301 and 302 of Sahapuram village, Cocanada taluk. April 3, No. 137 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 16 cents of — in Kalavacherla village, Rajahmundry taluk, required for repairing the Ravulakurimide tank of Kalavacherla. April 12, No. 142 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 0·14 acre of — required for a bodhi in Allavaram village, Amalapuram taluk. April 23, No. 149 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — in S. No. 161/1 for a proposed bodhi to irrigate S. No. 161/2 of B. Sevaram village, Razole taluk. May 11, No. 168 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for a field channel in Ainapuram village, Amalāpuram taluk. May 17, No. 179 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 0·05 acre of — in Gopavaram village, Amalāpuram taluk, required for a field bodhi in Gopavaram village. May 23, No. 192 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 0·16 acre of — in Kanupur village, Rajahmundry taluk, required for repairing the Appayya tank. June 18, No. 209 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 0·10 acre of — in Thandavapalli village, Amalāpuram taluk, for excavating connecting field bodhies. June 27, No. 214 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 26 cents of — required for the approaches of the Pedatippa outfall sluice in Gudimelanka village, Razole taluk. August 22, No. 300 I. (R)

LAND—DISTRICTS—*cont.*

GODAVARI—*cont.*

Land.—Recording the papers connected with the abandonment of a proposal for the acquisition of — required for a field channel in Andrangi village, Cocanada taluk
August 28, No. 492 (G)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 11 cents of — in Antervedipalaiyam village, Razole taluk, Gōdāvari district, required for the extension of a field bodhi.
September 10, No. 320 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 2 cents of — in Rayabhupalapatnam village, Peddapur taluk, Gōdāvari district, required for extending the calingulah of Rajanna tank.
September 22, No. 346 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 4 cents of — in Chodavaram village, Rāmachandrapur taluk, Gōdāvari district, required for a field bodhi.
September 22, No. 347 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 2 cents of — in Gannavaram village, Razole taluk, Gōdāvari district, required for excavating side bodhies on Hospital channel.
September 22, No. 348 I. (R)

Land. Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 1 cent of land in Mummidivaram village, Amalāpuram taluk, Gōdāvari district, required for a field bodhi.
October 1, No. 354 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 14 cents of — in Narisipudi village, Rāmachandrapuram taluk, Gōdāvari district, required for a field bodhi.
October 1, No. 355 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification in the *Fort St. George Gazette* for the acquisition of 1 cent of — in Kadali village, Rajole taluk, Gōdāvari district, required for the excavation of a field-bodhi.
October 15, No. 379 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of a notification for the acquisition of 15 cents of — in Murari village, Peddapur taluk, Gōdāvari district, required for repairs to Yenugutala kunta tank.
October 15, No. 380 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of a notification for the acquisition of 5 cents of land in Korumilli village, Rāmachandrapur taluk, Gōdāvari district, required for the excavation of a field bothi.
November 3, No. 407 I. (R)

Constructing pipe sluice at R 44—4—354 of the Bank canal and improving the bothi leading therefrom, Godavari Delta system.—Sanctioning revised estimate of Rs. 4,574 for — Gōdāvari Eastern division and approving the draft notification for acquisition of land required.
November 15, No. 472 I. (B)

Acquisition of lands for a field channel to S. No. 182 of Chodavaram village, Ramachandrapur taluk, Godavari district.—Informing the petitioner Kallapalli Venkatasubbarayadu of Nazarbada village that the Government agree with the Board of Revenue in their decision in regard to the — and that they see no reason to interfere.
November 30, No. 672 (G)

Land.—Directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of a notification of withdrawal from acquisition of certain lands in Ainapuram village, Amalapur taluk, Gōdāvari district, notified on page 650, Part I of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 22nd May 1917.
December 7, No. 455 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of a notification for the acquisition of 4 acres 86½ cents of land in Maskapalli village, Ramachandrapur taluk, Gōdāvari district, required for the diversion of the Gowtami left bank.
December 15, No. 463 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of a notification for the acquisition of 13 cents of — in Antervedi village, Rajole taluk, Gōdāvari district, required for a field channel.
December 20, No. 472 I. (R)

GUNTUR.

Temporary occupation of land required for closing the breaches in the Nizampatam canal in Peddapalli village, Repalle taluk, Guntūr district.—Recording papers relating to the —.
March 2, No. 74 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — in the Pithalavanipalem village, Repalle taluk, required for the excavation of the Gopalrazu channel.
May 19, No. 183 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — in Bhattiprole village, Repalle taluk, required for widening the Bhattiprole drain.
May 19, No. 184 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 0·69 acre of — in Pandrapad village, Bapatla taluk, Guntūr district.
July 7, No. 227 I. (R)

LAND—DISTRICTS—*cont.*

GUNTUR—*cont.*

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 2·85 acres of — in Razole and Thottapalli villages, Repalli taluk, Guntūr district, required for improving the Thottapalli North Branch channel. July 14, No. 238 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — in Gopalapuram Agraharam village, and the temporary occupation of land in Addanki village, Ongole taluk, for the irrigation channel of the Bhavanasi tank project. August 13, No. 287 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 4 cents of — in Godavarru agraharam, Tenali taluk, required for a triple cattle-crossing at 13/0 of the Bank canal, Kistna Western delta. August 30, No. 306 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 1·25 acres of — in Kondamudi village, Tenali taluk, Guntūr district, required for improvements to the Tungabhadra drain. September 24, No. 350 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of a notification for the acquisition of 11 cents of — in Duggirala village, Tenali taluk, Guntūr district, required for the excavation of a field channel. October 15, No. 377 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the Revenue Divisional Officer, Tenali, to procure the occupation and use of certain — temporarily required for closing breaches in Nizampatam canal in Allur, Repalli taluk, Guntūr district. October 22, No. 395 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of a notification for the acquisition of — in Allapuram, Betapudi and Isukapalli villages, Repalli taluk, Guntūr district, required for improvements to the Bhattiprole drain. October 23, No. 397 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of a notification for the acquisition of 5 cents of land in Peteru village, Repalli taluk, Guntūr district, required for the excavation of a field bothi. November 9, No. 411 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of a notification for acquisition of 1·09 acres of — in Tadepalle village, Guntūr taluk, required for river conservancy works. November 22, No. 434 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of a notification for the acquisition of 12 cents of — in Tenali village, Tenali taluk, Guntūr district, required for improvements to the Pollard's channel. November 22, No. 435 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of a notification for the acquisition of 4 cents of — in Gurzala village, Palnad taluk, Guntūr district, required for a field channel. November 26, No. 439 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of a notification for the acquisition of 20 cents of land in Vallabharaopalem village, Bapatla taluk, Guntūr district, required for the excavation of Palacayagunta drain. November 26, No 440 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of a notification for the acquisition of 1 acre in Gudipudi Agraharam village Bapatla taluk, Guntūr district, required for the Marripudi drain. December 15, No. 464 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of notifications for the acquisition of — in Guntūr district in connexion with the remodelling of the Doneudpi block, Kistna Western delta. December 17, No. 465 I. (R)

Land.—Ordering that an addendum be issued to the notification relating to the acquisition of lands in Iskapalli village, Repalle taluk, Guntūr district, required for the Bhattiprole drain. December 19, No. 467 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of a notification for the acquisition of 2 cents of — in Chinnaravuru village, Tenali taluk, Guntūr district, required for the excavation of a field channel. December 20, No. 475 I. (R)

KISTNA.

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for the extension of Pedalanka channel in Kalidindi village, Kaikalur taluk. February 3, No. 30 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of an erratum to the notification approved in G.O. R. No. 487 I., dated 9th November 1916, for the acquisition of — required for remodelling the Chinchinada channel. February 9, No. 39 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification in the *Fort St. George Gazette* for the acquisition of 0·9 acre of — required for occupation under the Madur branch channel, in Madur village, Gudivada taluk. April 25, No. 160 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — in Cherukumilli village, Bhimavaram taluk, required for excavating a bodhi channel. May 19, No. 185 I. (R)

LAND—DISTRICTS—*cont.*

KISTNA—*cont.*

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for a field channel in Jakkaram village, Bhimavaram taluk. May 28, No. 194 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 0·6 acre of — in Mahadevapatnam village, Bhimavaram taluk, required for excavating a bodhi in Mahadevapatnam village. June 15, No. 208 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 0·12 acre of — in Uppuloor village, Bhimavaram taluk, Kistna district, required for the connecting bothi for the irrigation of S. No. 20 of the village. July 16, No. 248 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 0·02 acre of — in Polamur village, Tanuku taluk, required for a field channel. August 8, No. 271 I. (R)

Acquisition of land.—Recording papers relating to the abandonment of a proposal for the — for a field channel in Pedda Amiram village, Bhimavaram taluk. August 8, No. 455 (G)

Land.—Directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of a draft notification for the acquisition of 42 cents of — in Bhavadevarapalli village, Divi taluk, Kistna district, required for the improvement of the Sangameswaram drain in the Uppukalva basin of the Divi Pumping System. December 26, No. 478 I. (R)

KURNOOL.

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 0·14 acre of — required for closing the breach at Mallayala in Mallayala village, Nandikōtkūr taluk. April 23, No. 151 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 1·08 acres of — in Mallevemula village, Sirvel taluk, required in connexion with the repair of flood damages. August 1, No. 260 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 2·5 acres of — in Kallur village, Kurnool taluk, required for taking earth for repairing earthen slopes of the Hindri aqueduct. August 6, No. 264 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of a notification for the acquisition of 90 cents of — in Rajoli village, Sirvel taluk, Kurnool district, required for repairing flood damages in the Kurnool-Cuddapah canal. October 8, No. 365 I. (R)

MADURA.

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 0·52 of an acre of — occupied by the Thodaneri distributary in Inam Kallikudi village, Madura taluk. January 29, No. 26 I. (R)

Land.—Issuing an erratum to the notification ordered to be published in G.O. R. No. 5 I., dated 2nd January 1914, for the acquisition of — required for changing the head of, and improvements to the Anaiyur distributary, Thandalai offtake in Madura taluk. February 16, No. 47 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for providing means of irrigation to the land to be sold in Tamaraippatti village, Madura taluk. March 20, No. 110 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification withdrawing from the acquisition of — required for providing means of irrigation to the sale lands in Uthangudi village, Madura taluk. April 3, No. 136 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 0·075 acre of — in Melur village, Melur taluk, Madura district, required for providing means of irrigation to S. No. 492. July 7, No. 225 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 0·04 acre of — in Usilampatti village, Madura taluk, Madura district, required for the diversion of a field channel. July 7, No. 226 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 0·11 acre of — in Tirukkanai village, Madura taluk, Madura district, required for providing means of irrigation for certain lands. July 9, No. 229 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification withdrawing from the acquisition of 0·07 acre of — in S. No. 64 in the village of Silayaneri, Madura taluk, Madura district. July 16, No. 242 I. (R)

Acquisition of land required for a field channel in Inam Achampatti village, Nilakottai taluk, Madura district.—Directing, with remarks, that the — be proceeded with. July 23, No. 302 I. (A)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 0·02 acre of — in Vellalapatti village, Melur taluk, required for the left bank of the XI branch channel. August 6, No. 267 I. (R)

LAND—DISTRICTS—*cont.*

MADURA—*cont.*

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 17 cents of — in Vannambarappatti village, Mēlūr taluk, Madura district, required for improving a channel in Periyar system. September 17, No. 337 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification in the *Fort St. George Gazette* for the acquisition of 41 cents of — in Shenkottai village, Madura taluk, required for the surplus weir of the Shenkottai tank. October 8, No. 367 I. (R)

Land.—Issuing an erratum to the schedule of land required for providing means of irrigation to sale lands in Tirukkanai village, Madura taluk, approved in G.O.R. No. 229 I., dated 9th July 1917. November 7, No. 409 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 0·0919 acre of land in Alanganallore village, Nilakottai taluk, Madura district, required for providing means of irrigation to Sambapallam land. November 17, No. 428 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of a notification for the acquisition of 0·057 acre of — in Jari Ponnaigudi and Jari Achampatti villages, Nilakkōttai taluk, Madura district, required for the cutting of a new channel for serving a block of about 37 acres in S. Nos. 5 to 11 of Jari Achampatti village. December 1, No. 449 I. (R)

NELLORE.

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for the Dakkanur branch channel of the Mopad project in Mopadu village, Kanigiri taluk. January 22, No. 15 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for the Dakkanur Branch channel of the Mopad Project in Dakkanur village, Udayagiri taluk. February 3, No. 29 I. (R)

Acquisition.—Recording G.O. Mis. No. 343, Revenue, dated 7th February 1917, recording papers regarding the variation between the original and the revised valuation of the lands acquired for the extension of the Battepadu channel in the Nellore division. February 19, No. 100 (G)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — in Vilukanipalli village, Nellore taluk, required for excavating a channel from Vilukanipalli to Rangacharlu khandriga lands. March 3, No. 76 I. (R)

Acquisition of land in Vilukanipalli village, Nellore taluk, required for excavating a channel.—Directing the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, to see that before the land is acquired, or the work is carried out, the contributors agree in writing to the said land and the work, on completion, becoming the property of Government. March 5, No. 137 (G)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for a field channel in Vavilla village, Kovur taluk. March 12, No. 97 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for the Mopad main channels in Chintaladevi village, Kavali taluk. March 15, No. 103 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for the Mopad project in Turpu Yerraballi and Garimanapenta villages, Udayagiri taluk. March 19, No. 108 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — in Allipuram village, Nellore taluk, Nellore division, for building an aqueduct across the Varigonda channel and for digging a channel up to it. March 27, No. 124 I. (R)

Land.—Direcing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for excavating field channels under the Uyyalakalva of Nellore tank, Penner river canals system. May 11, No. 169 I. (R)

RAMNAD.

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 61 cents of — and for the temporary occupation of 50 cents in Thenkarai village, Srīvilliputtūr taluk, Rāmnād district, required for restoring the flood bank at right of the anicut at the head of the supply channel to Vadagarai tank. September 17, No. 334 I. (R)

Land.—Issuing an erratum to the notification approved in G.O. No. 334 I., dated 17th September 1917, for the acquisition of — required for restoring the flood-bank at the right of the anicut at head of supply-channel to Vadakarai tank, Srīvilliputtūr taluk, Rāmnād district. October 25, No. 403 I. (R)

SALEM.

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for repairs and improvements to the Devarajayyan tank in Sandanapalli village, Hosur taluk. April 30, No. 161 I. (R)

LAND—DISTRICTS—*cont.*

SALEM—*cont.*

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 3 cents of — in Bevunatham and Arasakuppam villages, Hosur taluk, Salem district, required for repairs to Devasthanam Kottanur Odderi tank. September 10, No. 322 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of a notification for the acquisition of 6 cents of — in Ballapalli village, Hosur taluk, Salem district, required for repairs and improvements to Pattalamman eri. December 15, No. 461 I. (R)

TANJORE.

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for the diversion of the Korayar at Kannambadi limits in the Mannārgudi taluk. January 8, No. 3 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for improvements to the tail-end of Vellappar in Narimanam village, Nannilam taluk. January 19, No. 14 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for the Sathangudi drainage channel in certain villages in the Tirutturaippūndi taluk. February 10, No. 41 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for diverting the Coleroon right bank in Tirumailadi village, Shiyali taluk. February 26, No. 68 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — in Vettangudi village, Shiyali taluk, required for the improvements to the Vali odai and sanctioning the diversion of a sum of Rs. 600 from "unforeseen works" to "land compensation" in the estimate for the work. February 26, No. 70 I (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of an erratum to the notification approved in G.O. R. No. 14 I., dated 19th January 1917, for the acquisition of — required for improvements to the tail-end of Vellapar in the Nannilam taluk. March 10, No. 95 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification withdrawing from the acquisition of 3·0776 acres of — in the villages of Thiruvadamarudur, Nathapallam and Nirmulai in the Tirutturaipūndi taluk. April 14, No. 144 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 0·33 acre of — in Vaipur village, Negapatam taluk, required for excavating a new field channel to Tirutturaippūndi wet lands. May 21, No. 186 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of an erratum to the notification for the acquisition of — required for excavating a new kanni to Thiruppayathangudi wet lands approved in G.O. R. No. 186 I., dated 21st May 1917, and published at page 649 of Part I of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 22nd May 1917. July 23, No. 252 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — in mukhasa inam, Ponnimangalam village, Mannārgudi taluk, required for protecting the left margin of the Vennar. August 13, No. 286 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 1·17 acres of — required for the excavation of a supply channel to the Pettai lands in Maruvathur village, Papanasam taluk. August 24, No. 303 I (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 88 cents of — in Vinnamangalam and Budalur villages, Tanjore taluk, Tanjore district, required for the formation of a bridle path on the right bank of the Vennar. October 1, No. 353 I. (R)

Land.—Issuing an erratum to the schedule of — required for the excavation of a supply channel to Pettai lands in Maruvattur village, Papanasam taluk, Tanjore district, appended to the notification approved in G.O. R. No. 303 I., dated 24th August 1917. November 16, No. 425 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of a notification for the acquisition of 19 cents of — in Kadanthethi village, Tirutturaippundi taluk, Tanjore district, required for the diversion of the Mudaliappakandi channel. December 26, No. 479 I. (R)

TINNEVELLY.

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required in connection with the reconstruction of sluice No. 67 on the Palayam channel, Tinnevelly taluk. January 11, No. 7 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for Kuthalaperi tank supply channel in Tippanampatti village, Tenkasi taluk. January 11, No. 8 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for improvements to the bund of the Nethur channel in Nethur village, Tenkāsi taluk. January 18, No. 11 I. (R)

LAND—DISTRICTS—*cont.*

TINNEVELLY—*cont.*

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for the supply channel of the Kuthalperi tank in Tippanampatti village, Tenkasi taluk, Tinnevelly district. March 30, No. 127 I. (R)

Land—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — in Veerasamudram and Papankulam villages, Ambasamudram taluk, Tinnevelly district, required for extending the Pottalpudur anicut across the Veeranadi. July 5, No. 219 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 0·19 acre of — in 32, Kilapadugai kasba, Srivaikuntam taluk, Tinnevelly district, required for the flood bank of the Thambaraparni river. July 30, No. 257 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 1·63526 and 3·45 acres of — in Melaseval and Pungudayarkulam villages, Ambasamudram taluk, and Melakarai village of Nanguneri taluk, required for improvements to Vamankulam supply channel. August 6, No. 268 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for the rear slope of the Attur and Kiranur tanks, Trichendur taluk. August 11, No. 275 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 64 cents of — in Abishekapatti village, Tinnevelly taluk, Tinnevelly district, required for repairs and improvements to No. 8, Pallankulam tank. September 10, No. 324 I. (R)

TRICHINOPOLY.

Land—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for the extension of the Marudayar flood bank in Sathambadi and Thuthur villages of Udaiyarpalayam taluk, Trichinopoly district. March 3, No. 75 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the withdrawal from acquisition of 86·63 acres of — notified as being required for the conservancy works of the Coleroon in Tiruvalarsolai and Panayapuram villages of the Trichinopoly taluk. March 3, No. 77 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for withdrawal from acquisition of 1·10 acres of — in Kodiyalam village, Trichinopoly taluk, originally notified as being required for improvements to the Nangavaram Kattuvari. March 23, No. 122 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of an erratum list to G.O. R. No. 75 I., dated 3rd March 1917, in respect of the acquisition of — required for the extension of Marudayar flood bank in Sathambadi and Thuthur villages, Udayarpalaiyam taluk, Trichinopoly district. March 27, No. 125 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 18·88 acres of — in Panjappatti and Virayampalaiyam villages of Kulittalai taluk, required for the Panjappatti reservoir. August 8, No. 269 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 1·75 acres of — in Panayapuram village, Trichinopoly taluk, Trichinopoly district, required for the diverting the drainage channel in rear of the bank from Panayapuram road. September 10, No. 323 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 48 cents of — in Mutharasanallur village, Trichinopoly taluk, required for the protective works at Murungapet set on the right margin of the Cauvery. September 17, No. 335 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of a notification for the acquisition of 17 cents of — in Pagalavadi village, Musiri taluk, Trichinopoly district, required for repairs and improvements to the Adanur Periya eri. October 8, No. 366 I. (R)

VIZAGAPATAM.

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of — required for improvements to the Narasapur channel in Narasapuram village, Anakapalle taluk. May 14, No. 177 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification, for the acquisition of $0·7\frac{7}{12}$ cents of — in Peddapadu village, Sarvasiddhi taluk, Vizagapatam district, required for the construction of an aqueduct across Melupaka gedda. July 30, No. 259 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 0·04 acre of — in Nadamikilla village, Palkonda taluk, required for constructing a stone-ramp, Kambaravalasa channel, Nagavalli project. August 6, No. 265 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 42 cents of — in Rajala village, Sarvasiddhi taluk, Vizagapatam district, required for closing breaches and strengthening the right bank of the Gokivada gedda. September 17, No. 336 I. (R)

Land.—Directing the publication of a notification for the acquisition of 28 cents of — in Kotturu village, Sarvasiddhi taluk, Vizagapatam district, required for closing breaches in the right bank of Gokivada gedda. September 22, No. 344 I. (R)

LANDS—GENERAL.

Land.—Sanctioning the temporary occupation of — in Nimma Terleda village, Palkonda taluk, Vizagapatam district, required for reconstructing the washed away nose of the Wadada channel. April 11, No. 140 I. (R)

Land.—Communicating to Superintending Engineer, II Circle, G.O. Mis. No. 918 M., dated 25th May 1917, informing the Bezwada Municipal Council that the Government cannot comply with its request that the charge made by the Public Works Department for the site leased to it for use as a stand for jutkas and single bullock carts may be waived. May 31, No. 312 (G)

Lands in the Tanjore town acquired for the grand anicut canal of the proposed Cauvery Reservoir project.—Approving the proposal of the Collector of Tanjore to renew for another fasli the lease of the —. June 9, No. 227 I. (A)

Dry lands converted into wet in the Gōdāvari delta.—Recording notes connected with a question asked in the meeting of the Legislative Council on 22nd May 1917. June 26, No. 357 (G)

Improving the irrigation of Venmanacheri Thenpathi lands, Tanjore district, Cauvery delta system.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 5,010 for —. June 27, No. 263 I. (A)

Field bodhies.—Passing orders on the system of according of compensation for land for — acquired under Act I of 1894. July 20, No. 300 I. (A)

Divi pumping system.—Forwarding to Superintending Engineer, II Circle, G.O. Mis. No 2245, Revenue, dated 25th July 1917, approving the proposals of the Board of Revenue regarding the payment of purchase money in two instalments in the case of lands sold under the — where the purchase money exceeds Rs. 1,000. July 30, No, 432 (G)

Demarcation.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, with remarks, G.O. No. 1545. Revenue, dated 30th May 1917, recording correspondence relating to the — of lands under the control of the Public Works Department in the Kistna district. August 7, No. 449 (G)

Localisation of irrigable wet lands in the Kistna Eastern delta.—(Confidential.) September 24, No. 396 I. (A)

Cultivation of 300 acres of Somidevipalli reserve.—Recording Revenue Department Memorandum No. 1975/17-1, dated 13th August 1917, and notes connected with it informing the Board of Revenue that the Government are willing to allow the — by the ryots of Pedda Nalmakalva, Kurnool district. October 8, No. 564 (G)

Raicheruvu in Somareddipalli, Badvel taluk, Cuddapah district.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, III Circle, G O. No. 2999, Revenue, dated 25th September 1917, recording Board's Proceedings passing orders on the proposal of the Collector of Cuddapah regarding the classification as wet of lands commanded by —. October 12, No. 585 (G)

Localisation of irrigable wet lands in the Kistna Eastern delta.—(Confidential.) October 23, No. 615 (G)

Agricultural practices.—Communicating to Superintending Engineers of Circles G.O. Mis. No. 3474, Revenue, dated 3rd November 1917, recording with remarks letter from the Director of Agriculture regarding the extension of special duty of Mr. Tampoe in connexion with the enquiry into the — Gōdāvari Western delta. November 12, No. 644 (G)

Toludur project, South Arcot.—Recording the report of the Special Deputy Collector on the completion of land acquisition work in connexion with channels and distributaries of the —. December 3, No. 498 I. (B)

Divi pumping system.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, G.O. Mis. No 3805, Revenue, dated 28th November 1917, approving the recommendation of the Collector of Kistna to hold in abeyance for the present the concession regarding free grant of land to outsiders in the tract commanded by the —. December 4, No. 686 (G)

Water applications.—Communicating to Superintending Engineers G.O. No. 3100, Revenue, dated 2nd October 1917, requesting the Board of Revenue to formulate a scheme in consultation with Collectors for fixing the dry lands to which water may be supplied under each irrigation source and determining the order of preference in which water is to be supplied to those lands. December 7, No. 700 (G)

Notifying lands required for the Madras-Cauvery (Metur) Reservoir project.—Recording demi-official correspondence with Mr. T. R. J. Ward, Inspector-General of Irrigation, regarding the question of —. December 8, No. 702 (G)

Land acquisitions made in the last five years.—Recording papers connected with Question No. 55 (Original No. 49), asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 20th November 1917 regarding — and the answer given thereto. December 10, No. 706 (G)

LOCKS.

Improvements to the new lock at Vizeswaram, Gōdāvari Head-Works division.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 13,500 for —. April 30, No. 169 I. (A)

LOCKS—*cont.*

Proposal to transfer the Vizeswaram Head Lock and the works up to the junction of the lock-channel with the main channel, from the Gōdāvari Western division to the Gōdāvari Head-Works division. —Recording G.O. No. 666 W., dated 18th May 1917, approving the Superintending Engineer's — . July 26, No. 423 (G)

Lock and regulator at mile 7-2-460 of the Kakarraparru canal, Godavari Western delta.—Communicating to the officers concerned letter from the Government of India approving of the commencement during next financial year of work on the construction of a —. November 20, No. 484 I (B)

Extending the revetment in Chippaleru south lock, Buckingham canal, Chingleput district.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 2,709 for —. December 15, No. 518 I. (B)

MACHINERY.

Constructing a suction dredger for the Buckingham canal.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 12,000 for —. November 20, No. 486 I (B)

MAPS AND PLANS.

Charts of the Gōdāvari river survey.—Requesting the Superintendent, Government Press, to furnish the Executive Engineer, Gōdāvari Conservancy Division, with 10,000 printed slips in connexion with the preparation of —. March 7, No. 144 (G)

Revision of the ayacut registers and maps of the Kistna Western delta.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, Memorandum No. 358-B/17-1 Rev., dated 3rd March 1917, regarding the —. March 12, No. 154 (G)

List and Map of Minor Works in charge of Public Works Department in the Chittoor district.—Approving the —. May 1, No. 173 I. (A)

Railway-affecting tanks, Cuddapah district.—Approving the list and map of —. May 22, No. 201 I. (A)

Revised type-design for a first-class staff boat.—Communicating to Superintending Engineers a — for adoption. May 30, No. 215 I. (A)

Marking of waterspread of tanks in village maps in the I circle.—Recording Superintending Engineer's report stating that the — has been completed. July 5, No. 369 (G)

Index map of the Madras Presidency corrected up to 31st December 1916.—Acknowledging receipt of the — showing the catchment areas of projects, rainfall and river gauge stations, returned by the Government of India. July 7, Nos. 281-82 I. (B)

Railway-affecting tanks, Tinnevelly district.—Approving the list and map of —. September 12, No. 383 I. (A)

Padarathi and Silandikudi Kanmoys of the Melur taluk, Madura district.—Approving the transfer of the — from the list of Periyar-affected tanks to the list and map of minor works, Public Works Department, Madura district. September 25, No. 399 I. (A)

Minor Works—Public Works Department, Cuddapah district.—Approving the revised list and map of —. October 11, No. 419 I. (A)

Diagrams for the Irrigation Administration Report.—Informing the Superintendent, Government Press, that the — for 1916-17 had already been prepared and that it is too late to make any alterations in them. November 17, No. 655 (G)

Photographic views of typical Irrigation works.—Issuing revised instructions regarding the submission of —. November 30, No. 493 I. (B)

MATERIALS.

Portland cement.—Recording Memorandum No. 1906-Accts. I., dated 18th July 1917, communicating India's letter directing submission of a statement showing the approximate quantity of consumption of — for the last six years. August 8, No. 453 (G)

Priority Committees.—Recording G.O. No. 2429, Revenue, dated 8th August 1917, ordering the appointment of two — in the town of Madras to deal with applications from cotton mills, gins and presses, sugar factories, foundries, engineering and electric firms and from rice and flour mills. August 23, No. 475 (G)

Plant issued for war purposes.—Recording G.O. No 953 W., dated 23rd July 1917, issuing orders on the subject of debit of charges on account of —. August 28, No. 497 (G)

Tramway track and accessories.—Recording letter from the Government of India stating that the Indian Munitions Board have been able to meet their requirements as regards — and will not, in consequence, require any more tramway material. September 13, No. 530 (G)

Mopad project, Nellore district.—Sanctioning the write off of a certain track and sleepers found deficient in the —. October 10, No. 416 I. (B)

Toludur project.—Sanctioning the write off of certain materials lost or damaged during the floods of —. October 10, No. 417 I. (B)

MATERIALS—*cont.*

Supply of cement.—Recording copy of G.O. No. 2934, Revenue, dated 13th September 1917, communicating to the heads of departments under the Revenue Departments letter from the Indian Munitions Board on the subject of the — required by Government and railways in which Government is a partner. October 10, No. 577 (G)

Priority Committee II.—Recording G.O. Press No. 3617, Revenue, dated 15th November 1917, directing ... all applications for priority assistance except those from gold mines hitherto dealt with by Government, will in future be dealt with by —. November 20, No. 662 (G)

Testing of materials and stores purchased.—Recording Chief Engineer's Memorandum No. 7379, dated 23rd November 1917, communicating the Government of India order regarding the —. November 30, No. 680 (G)

Priority.—Recording G.O. No. 3707, Revenue, dated 21st November 1917, issuing a press communiqué stating that all applications for — assistance (other than those from Gold mines) should be submitted to the Controller of Munitions. December 1, No. 682 (G)

MEMORIALS AND PETITIONS.

Telegram from Balakrishna Pillai of Trichinopoly, dated 27th December 1916, regarding scarcity of water in Devadanam village, Trichinopoly taluk.—Recording Endorsement No. 2241-B/16-1, Revenue, dated 30th December 1916, transferring to the Collector of Trichinopoly the —. January 6, No. 6 (G)

Withheld memorials.—Recording G.O. No. 18, Home (Miscellaneous), dated 9th January 1917, recording letter from the Government of India on the subject of the submission of returns of —. January 26, No. 47 (G)

G.O. No. 122 I., dated 6th March 1915, regarding repairs and improvements to the Sivalperi tank and supply channel, Tenkasi taluk, Tinnevelly district.—Furnishing to applicant R. V. Venkataranga Appaswami Nayudu, Mittadar of Nayinaragaram, Tenkasi taluk, Tinnevelly district, a copy of —. February 2, No. 68 (G)

Petition, dated 27th December 1916, from Subramania Servaigaran and other mirasidars of the 24 irrigated villages, under the Panguni channel, Trichinopoly division, regarding the augmentation of the supply to the Panguni channel from the Coleroon.—Informing the petitioners that Government see no reason to reconsider the orders passed in G.O. No. 68 I., dated 10th September 1901. February 14, No. 88 (G)

Vaddeswaram and Kolanukonda Lift Irrigation Company, Kistna Western Delta.—Forwarding to the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, for necessary action the opinions of the Advocate-General in regard to the grant of concession to the —. April 11, No. 147 I. (A)

Petition, dated 29th March 1917, from the ryots of Mudivertipalem, Nellore district, regarding the excavation of the supply channel to their tank and a drainage channel to their lands.—Forwarding to the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, for disposal the —. April 12, No. 206 (G)

Localisation of the irrigable wet lands in the Kistna Eastern Delta.—Forwarding to Superintending Engineer, II Circle, petitions received from the ryots owning lands under the channels in the Kistna Eastern delta regarding the —. April, 26, No. 215 (G)

Mysore-Madras-Cauvery Arbitration.—Forwarding, for the consideration of the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India, a memorial, dated 28th April 1917, received from the landholders of the Tanjore and Trichinopoly districts in respect to the award of the — case. May 2, Despatch No. 5 (I)

Mysore-Madras-Cauvery Arbitration.—Ordering that the memorial, dated 28th April 1917, received from the landholders of the Tanjore and Trichinopoly districts in respect to the award of the — be forwarded through the Government of India for the consideration of the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India. May 2, Nos. 176-77 I. (A)

Memorial rules.—Recording G.O. No. 352, Home (Miscellaneous), dated 4th April 1917, recording the notification of the Government of India issuing certain revised rules regarding the submission, receipt and transmission of memorials and other papers of the same class to His Majesty the King-Emperor or to the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India. May 5, No. 245 (G)

Localisation of the wet ayacut, Kistna Eastern delta.—Recording publication No. I of the Kistna District Association regarding the grievances of the ryots in regard to the —. May 10, No. 254 (G)

Excavation of a supply channel to the Ottappidaram, Periyakulam, Tinnevelly district.—Informing the petitioners M. Muthuramalingam Pillai and others that orders have been issued for further investigation of the Arakulam Odai with a view to correctly estimate the available supply of water. May 12, No. 256 (G)

Application from the Diwan of Venkatagiri Samasthanam for a copy of the Special Superintending Engineer's letter No. 2188, dated 21st October 1905, regarding Swarnamukhi project.—Informing the Board of Revenue that the document is not traceable. June 9, No. 327 (G)

MEMORIALS AND PETITIONS—*cont.*

Provision of a second head sluice to the Kistna Eastern delta.—Recording the petition, dated 10th March 1917, from Mr. C. Hanumanulu, Pleader, Bezwada, regarding the —. June 15, No. 337 (G)

Documents required by the Proprietor of Siripuram Estate.—Informing the Collector of Vizagapatam that the application for certain — should be rejected. July 16, No. 239 I. (R)

Rettaimalai Tirupathi temple, Srivaikuntam taluk, Tinnevelly district.—Directing, with remarks, that the proposals for the reconstruction of the river wall round the —, be dropped. July 16, No. 293 I. (B)

Periyar Works.—Communicating to Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, G.O. No. 377, Public (Political), dated 24th August 1917, passing orders relating to a complaint by the Travancore Darbar that a boat belonging to the Darbar was detained and locked up by the Dam Superintendent on the 14th April 1917. September 3, No. 510 (G)

Silt clearance in the Buckingham canal.—Recording papers connected with the petition of the residents of Covelong regarding the—. October 17, No. 597 (G)

Mysore-Madras Cauvery Arbitration.—Ordering that a supplementary memorial, dated 19th October 1917, received from the landholders of the Cauvery delta in the Tanjore and Trichinopoly districts in respect to the award of the — be forwarded through the Government of India for the consideration of the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India. November 3, No. 452 I. (A)

Mysore-Madras Cauvery Arbitration.—Forwarding to the Government of India for transmission to the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State a supplementary memorial received from the landholders of the Tanjore and Trichinopoly districts in respect of the award of the —. November 3, No. 453 I (A)

Mysore-Madras Cauvery Arbitration case.—Forwarding for the consideration of the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India a supplementary memorial of the landholders in Trichinopoly and Tanjore districts in respect of the — through the Government of India. November 3, Despatch No. 7 (I)

Mysore-Madras Cauvery Arbitration case.—Forwarding an advance copy of Despatch No. 7 I., dated 3rd November 1917, submitting for the consideration of the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India the supplementary memorial, dated 19th October 1917, received from the landholders of Tanjore and Trichinopoly districts in respect of the award of the —. November 3, Despatch No. 8 (I)

Petition from M. R. Sambasiva Ayyar, Mirasidar, Mannargudi, Tanjore district, regarding the construction of a dam across Maravakadu channel.—Endorsement on — that the sill level of the dam was fixed after due consideration and that the Government see no reason to alter it. November 10, No. 643 (G)

Petition to Parliament.—Recording G.O. No. 2295, Home (Judicial), dated 6th November 1917, recording letter from the Government of India stating that — are not dealt with under the memorial rules and do not therefore require to be submitted through the provincial Governments and that the appropriate course in such cases will be to inform the memorialists accordingly. November 17, No. 653 (G)

Mysore-Madras Cauvery Arbitration.—Informing the Government of India that letter No. 453 I., dated 3rd November 1917, and annexures regarding Cauvery Landholders' memorial in the — need not be treated as confidential. November 22, Nos. 437-38 I (R)

Acquisition of lands for a field channel to S. No. 182 of Chodavaram village, Ramachandrapur taluk, Gōdāvari district.—Informing the petitioner Kallapalli Venkatasubbarayudu of Nazarbada that the Government agree with the decision of the Board of Revenue in regard to the — and that they see no reason to interfere. November 30, No. 672 (G)

MISCELLANEOUS.

Agricultural practices in the Attili canal area in the Gōdāvari Western delta.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, G.O. No. 2780, Revenue, dated 6th December 1916, recording the report of the Special officer on the investigation of the —. January 3, No. 3 (G)

Holidays.—Recording G.O. No. 417, Home (Mis.), dated 13th December 1916, approving the proposal of the Collector of South Kanara to grant a holiday in his district on the 6th January 1917 in substitution for the general holiday on the penultimate Saturday of the month. January 8, No. 11 (G)

Holidays during 1917.—Recording G.O. No. 390, Home (Mis.), dated 6th December 1916, issuing a notification in the *Fort St. George Gazette* publishing the — under the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881. January 8, No. 13 (G)

Investigation of Chetwaye estuary and backwater, Malabar district.—Informing the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, that the — may be postponed till financial conditions have improved. January 11, No. 11 I. (B)

MISCELLANEOUS—*cont.*

Sale of Government materials to private parties at concessional rates.—Recording G.O. No. 1777 W., dated 27th November 1916, passing orders in regard to the—. January 11, No. 19 (G)

Passports.—Recording G.O. No. 380, Home (Mis.), dated 2nd December 1916, issuing orders authorising the Collector of Madras to issue — to persons proceeding to places outside the Indian Empire, while the headquarters of the Government are at Ootacamund.
January 11, No. 22 (G)

Public Prosecutor, Madras.—Recording G.O. No. 2873, Home (Judicial), dated 6th December 1916, permitting the —, to take up private practice subject to certain conditions.
January 11, No. 23 (G)

Uniform to be worn by officers embarking on packet vessels and mail steamers.
January 19, No. 33 (G) (Confdl.)

Investigation of Chetwaye estuary and backwater in the Malabar district.—Informing the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, that the proposals for the — are considered suitable but that the investigation should be postponed until the financial conditions have improved.
January 19, No. 34 (G)

Periyar waterfalls.—Informing Messrs. Alfred Dickinson & Co., London, that Government are not at present in a position to enter into any arrangement with them in the matter of development of electrical engineering from the —.
January 20, No. 36 (G)

Transfer of lands from dry to wet and disposal of water applications in the Kistna district.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineers, I and II Circles, G.O. No. 2955, Revenue, dated 20th December 1916, on the subject of —.
January 20, No. 38 (G)

His Excellency the Governor's tour during December 1915.—Recording notes connected with the reply to the address presented to His Excellency the Governor by the Guntūr District Board during his tour.
January 20, No. 40 (G)

Carrying out modifications of pipes in the Southern Subdivision, Gōdāvari Eastern division.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 1,360 for —.
January 22, No. 31 I. (A)

Agricultural department.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, III Circle, G.O. Mis. No. 115, Revenue, dated 16th January 1917, approving the proposal of the Director of Agriculture to lease 6·66 acres of paddy land under the Nandyal tank for carrying out certain manurial experiments.
January 26, No. 42 (G)

Executive lower subordinates.—Recording G.O. No. 1734 W., dated 21st November 1916, treating certain permanent posts of — in the VI and VII Circles as supernumerary to the permanent strength of these circles and reducing the temporary establishment sanctioned for the circles.
January 26, No. 45 (G)

State Technical Scholarship.—Recording G.O. No. 1381, Home (Education), dated 16th December 1916, directing the publication of a notification inviting applications for the — available for award in this Presidency in 1917.
January 26, No. 46 (G)

References to Japanese trade in the published versions of Indian official reports.
January 29, No. 50 (G) (Confdl.)

Indent far Europe Stores.—Recording G.O. No. 26, Financial, dated 15th January 1917, approving the proposal of the Superintendent of Stationery to use Azure Laid instead of Lancashire ledger paper for —.
January 29, No. 54 (G)

Correspondence.—Recording G.O. No. 4, Public (Political), dated 5th January 1917, recording letter from the Government of India, Foreign and Political Department, proposing to introduce, as an experimental measure, the memorandum form of — in their postal communications to Local Governments and Political officers.
January 31, No. 62 (G)

Proceedings disposed in the "Disposal list of Press papers in ordinary series" and not mentioned in ordinary Proceedings volumes.—Recording Memorandum No. 733–1, dated 29th January 1917, of Home (Mis.) Department stating that the India Office desire to be supplied with two copies of —.
February 5, No. 70 (G)

Spare copies of printed letters, etc., of the Government of India (Revenue and Agriculture).—Recording G.O. No. 2886, Revenue, dated 15th December 1916, replying to the Government of India on the subject of the number of — required by this Government.
February 5, No. 71 (G)

Drafting of Government Orders.—Recording memorandum No. 139–1, dated 30th January 1917, of the Home (Mis.) Department stating that in — the use of the future tense should be resorted to with discrimination.
February 7, No. 77 (G)

Authentication of copies of Proceedings of Government.—Recording G.O. No. 54, Financial, dated 29th January 1917, empowering the Senior Superintendent in the Home Department to authenticate copies of Proceedings of Government, issuing from that department.
February 9, No. 80 (G)

Extract from the Honourable Member's note, dated 22nd January 1917, in G.O. No. 53, Financial, dated 23rd January, on the question of reduction in the number of periodicals in all departments.—Recording the —.
February 9, No. 82 (G)

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Extract of the Honourable Member's remarks, dated 21st January 1917, suggesting the issue of a few main rules regarding printing for ready reference.—Recording the —. February 9, No. 83 (G)

Periyar catchment area.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, G.O. Mis. No. 336, Revenue, dated 7th February 1917, sanctioning the payment to the Travancore Darbar of the supplemental claim of Rs. 426-5-5 made by them in connexion with the clearance and demarcation of the —. February 10, No. 85 (G)

Lump sum payment without detailed measurements.—Sanctioning as a special case the — in connexion with the diversion of the course of the Veeranadi at the head of the Pappankal channel, Tinnevelly division. February 21, No. 75 I. (B)

Localisation of irrigable areas in the Kistna Eastern delta.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, G.O. R. No. 118, Revenue, dated 17th February 1917, posting Deputy Collector Muhammad Ibrahim Sahib Bahadur to Kistna and M.R.Ry. U. Rama Rao Avargal to special duty in connexion with the —. February 21, No. 101 (G)

Co-operative societies.—Recording G.O. No. 329, Revenue, dated 6th February 1917, communicating to the Registrar of — letter from the Government of India on the question of the investment of Court of Wards' money and Local Fund balances, etc., in —. February 23, No. 107 (G)

Rush of expenditure in March.—Recording G.O. No. 245 W., dated 10th February 1917, ordering that the Government of India be addressed to relieve this Government of the necessity for preparing and submitting a statement of lapse with a view to avoid the —. February 23, No. 108 (G)

Examinations in Oriental languages.—Recording G.O. No. 54, Home (Miscellaneous), dated 22nd January 1917, regarding certain amendments to the rules in the Indian Civil Service Manual relating to the —. February 23, No. 110 (G)

Royal Commission on public services in India.—Recording G.O. No. 110, Public, dated 2nd February 1917, recording letter from the Government of India laying down the procedure to be followed in dealing with the recommendation of the—. February 28, No. 112 (G)

Account test.—Recording G.O. No. 145, Home (Education), dated 8th February 1917, prescribing the two Government of India manuals "an introduction to Indian Government Accounts" and "an introduction to Indian Government Audit" as fresh subject for the —. March 1, No. 120 (G)

Criminal tribes.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, VII Circle, G.O. No. 444, Home (Judicial), dated 22nd February 1917, requesting the District Magistrate, South Arcot, to submit a report on the feasibility of forming a reserve of — on the Kaliveli lands near Merkanam. March 5, No. 130 (G)

Cyclone.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, G.O. No. 424, Revenue, dated 14th February 1917, recording Board's Proceedings passing orders on the detailed report of the Collector of Chingleput on the damages caused by the — of the 22nd November 1916. March 5, No. 131 (G)

Deputy Secretary, Revenue Department.—Recording G.O. No. 106, Financial, dated 20th February 1917, sanctioning the continuance till the 31st May 1917 of the temporary appointment of —. March 6, No. 138 (G)

Weekly Table of contents of the Public Works Department (Irrigation).—Recording note from the Hon'ble Diwan Bahadur P. Rajagopala Achariyar stating that he does not wish to peruse the —. March 6, No. 140 (G)

Demands from the Port Trust Board and various local bodies for funds.—Recording notes of the Financial Department requesting to withdraw all instructions issued to heads of departments in dealing with the — in view of the present financial conditions. March 6, No. 141 (G)

Distribution of work amongst the members of Government.—Recording G.O. No. 213, Public, dated 27th February 1917, directing the issue of a revised distribution list of business amongst the members of Government with effect from the 27th February 1917. March 9, No. 149 (G)

Redistribution of divisions and taluks in the Chingleput division.—Recording G.O. No. 333, Revenue, dated 6th February 1917, sanctioning the proposals of the Board of Revenue for the—. March 9, No. 151 (G)

Distribution of business in the Madras Secretariat.—Recording G.O. No. 212, Public, dated 26th February 1917, issuing corrigenda to the — laid down in G.O. No. 1426, Public, dated 28th July 1916. March 10, No. 152 (G)

Delay in the disposal of a case relating to the improvement of the Kotha and Kothamma Cheruvu, Kurnool division.—Passing certain remarks in respect of the —. March 13, No. 157 (G)

Allur swamp, Sangam anicut system, Nellore division.—Recording papers relating to the —. March 13, No. 158 (G)

Powers of sanction of Local Governments.—Recording G.O. No. 88, Financial, dated 13th February 1917, recording resolution of the Government of India, conceding certain powers to the Local Government, in the matter of appointment of Temporary Engineers, in the Public Works Department. March 13, No. 160 (G)

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Move of Government to the hills.—Recording G.O. No. 147, Financial, dated 10th March 1917, increasing temporarily the strength of the establishment of the Public Works Department (Irrigation) accompanying the Government to the hills, by a second draftsman for the Ootacamund season of 1917.
March 20, No. 172 (G)

Stuartpet Settlement.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, VII Circle, G.O. No. 598, Home (Judicial) sanctioning a grant of Rs. 1,000 for the maintenance of the settlers at the — and directing that the settlement be abolished.
March 20, No. 173 (G)

Matters of political or administrative importance.—Recording G.Os. Nos. 94 and 95, Public, dated 30th January 1917, regarding the submission of reports by Collectors and District Magistrates on —.
March 23, No. 178 (G)

Circulation car.—Recording the Chief Secretariat note requesting Departments of the Secretariat to take steps to prevent the undue detention at Secretariat offices and officers' quarters of the —.
March 23, No. 179 (G)

"*Anglo-Indian*" *and Eurasian.*—Recording G.O. No. 17, dated 6th January 1917, recording papers regarding the use of the terms — in official correspondence.
March 23, No. 182 (G)

Spelling of Kanara.—Recording G.O. No. 712, Revenue, dated 8th March 1917, regarding the — with a K instead of with a C.
March 26, No. 188 (G)

Move of Government to the Hills.—Recording G.O. No. 170, Financial, dated 20th March 1917, circulating a list of officers in the Secretariat establishment who accompany Government to the hills.
March 27, No. 191 (G)

Indian Army Reserve of officers.—Recording G.O. No. 295, Public, dated 15th March 1917, recording letter from the General Officer Commanding, 9th (Secunderabad) Division, desiring the prompt transmission to Army headquarters of applications for commissions in the —.
March 28, No. 195 (G)

Compensation scheme for lascars.—Recording G.O. No. 141, Public (Marine), regarding war risks —.
March 28, No. 196 (G)

Special Test notification.—Recording G.O. No. 145, Home (Education), dated 8th February 1917, directing the publication of a notification relating to the changes in the — in the Account Test branch.
April 4, No. 202 (G)

Fish Farm at Pudur, Kurnool division.—Recording G.O. No. 920, Revenue, dated 28th March 1917, sanctioning Mr. Wilson's proposal for the establishment of a —.
April 4, No. 203 (G)

Trees on lands appertaining to irrigation and navigation works.—Explaining the scope and intention of the rules in G.O. No. 469 I., dated 24th November 1909, regarding the control of — in charge of the Public Works Department.
April 5, No. 204 (G)

Vaddeswaram and Kolanukonda Lift Irrigation Company, Kistna Western Delta.—Forwarding to the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, for necessary action the opinions of the Advocate-General in regard to the grant of concession to the —.
April 11, No 147 I. (A)

Exemption from Military Service.—Recording G.O. No. 412, Public, dated 10th April 1917, authorising the Collectors of districts to make applications for —.
April 16, No. 209 (G)

Localisation of the irrigable wet lands in Kistna Eastern Delta.—Passing orders on the resolution moved by the Hon'ble Rao Bahadur M. Ramachandra Rao Pantulu at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 2nd April 1917 regarding the —.
April 20, No 153 I. (A)

Exemption from Military Service.—Recording Public Department Endorsement No. 1234-2, dated 10th April 1917, regarding the —.
April 20, No. 212 (G)

Binding work.—Recording G.O. No. 339, Public, dated 26th March 1917, passing orders on the draft rules governing — at all Government and other presses, submitted by the Superintendent, Government Press.
April 26, No. 218 (G)

Pension applications.—Recording Financial Department Memorandum No. 18-14, dated 29th March 1917, pointing out certain cases of delay in the disposal of —.
April 26, No. 219 (G)

Distribution of business in the Madras Secretariat.—Recording Chief Engineer's Memorandum No. 2357 C., dated 2nd April 1917, recording G.O. No. 268, Public, dated 12th March 1917, issuing corrigendum to the — laid down in G.O. No. 1426, Public, dated 28th July 1916, transferring "Government Press" and "Madras Record office" from the Public to the Financial Department.
April 26, No. 221 (G)

Income-tax.—Recording G.O. No. 412, Financial (Separate Revenue), dated 9th April 1917, communicating to the Board of Revenue letter from the Government of India on the subject of the assessment to — or super-tax of the income of persons subscribing to the War Loan.
May 3, No. 238 (G)

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Indian War Loan.—Recording G.O. No. 239, Financial, dated 19th April 1917, requesting heads of departments to give their subordinates any assistance which they may require in the matter of subscribing to the —. May 3, No. 241 (G)

Resettlement.—Recording G.O. No. 1192, Revenue, dated 24th April 1917, recording Board's Proceedings approving the results of the reclassification of the Alliyabad anicut-fed sources at the — of the North Arcot district. May 3, No. 242 (G)

Irrigation.—Communicating to Superintending Engineers of Circles G.O. No. 976, Revenue, dated 3rd April 1917, recording papers relating to the feasibility of introducing a system of co-operative management of the distribution of water for — purposes. May 7, No. 246 (G)

Indian War Loan.—Recording G.O. No. 242, Financial, dated 21st April 1917, communicating letter from the Controller and Auditor-General containing instructions regarding the procedure to be followed in giving effect to the scheme enabling Government servants to subscribe to the — by monthly deductions from their pay. May 9, No. 252 (G)

Experimental percolation trench in the Government Brick Fields, Madras.—Sanctioning the revised estimate amounting to Rs. 2,140 for constructing an —. May 17, No. 193 I. (B)

Rating of current meters by the Madras Government.—Ordering that a letter be sent to the Government of India informing them that the — will be undertaken on certain specified conditions. May 21, Nos. 197–98 I. (A)

Editors' Table privileges.—Recording G.O. No. 418, Home (Miscellaneous), dated 28th April 1917, authorising the Superintendent, Government Press, to supply the Editor of "Justice", Madras, with copies of papers placed on the Editors' Table and stating that no general statement can be made regarding the prospect of providing advertisements for insertion in the paper. May 21, No. 262 (G)

Indian War Loan.—Recording G.O. No. 262, Financial, dated 27th April 1917, regarding the investment in war loan or war bonds of the security deposits of the Government employees in Post Office Savings Banks. May 21, No. 266 (G)

Editors' Table papers.—Recording G.O. No. 362, Home, dated 6th April 1917, issuing revised rules for the selection of papers for the Editors' Table. May 22, No. 271 (G)

Medical certificates.—Recording G.O. No. 208, Medical, dated 12th May 1917, informing the Surgeon-General that the Government do not consider it necessary to issue orders prohibiting Registered medical practitioners from recommending extensions of leave without previously consulting the medical man who granted the original certificate for leave. May 22, No. 273 (G)

Registration of foreigners on arrival at Pondicherry.—Recording G.O. No. 401, Home (Miscellaneous), dated 23rd April 1917, issuing instructions to the Commissioner of Police, Madras, and to the district officers concerned, to give wide publicity to the ordinance of the French Government requiring all foreigners including British subjects to register themselves at the Police office within 12 hours of their arrival at Pondicherry. May 22, No. 275 (G)

Cutting from the "Madras Times", dated 14th May 1917, regarding "Kistna delta difficulties".—Recording the —. May 24, No. 280 (G)

Powers of sanction.—Recording G.O. No. 284, Financial, dated 5th May 1917, recording resolution of the Government of India authorising Provincial Governments to sanction the creation of temporary appointments or deputations necessitated by the war, provided that any such appointment or deputation shall not exceed beyond six months after the conclusion of the war and that the remuneration in any case shall not exceed Rs. 2,500 a month. May 24, No. 282 (G)

Loans.—Recording G.O. No. 237, Financial, dated 18th April 1917, recording resolution of the Government of India raising from 5 to 6 per cent the minimum rate of interest at which — will be made by Government to local bodies and private individuals. May 24, No. 285 (G)

Confidential covers.—Recording G.O. No. 297, Financial, dated 9th May 1917, recording letter from the Government of India forwarding a copy of an erratum to paragraph 3 (e) of their letter No. 4692-41, dated 19th June 1916, regarding use of double covers for confidential communications. May 25, No. 290 (G)

Supplies to touring officers.—Recording G.O. No. 1300, Revenue, dated 5th May 1917, requesting the Board of Revenue to draw the attention of the Collectors and touring officers to the provisions of Board's Standing Order No. 113 regarding —. May 25, No. 291 (G)

Indian War Loan.—Recording G.O. No. 293, Financial, dated 9th May 1917, stating that the Government of India have fixed the 10th June 1917 as the latest date up to which applications from Government servants for investment in the — under the Bank of Madras scheme may be forwarded to the Accountant-General. May 28, No. 293 (G)

Parliamentary papers.—Recording G.O. No. 253, Financial, dated 24th April 1917, directing that the distribution of — should, in future, be undertaken by the Superintendent, Government Press, in accordance with a specified scale. May 28, No. 298 (G)

MISCELLANEOUS—*cont.*

Holidays.—Recording G.O. No. 475, Home (Miscellaneous), dated 19th May 1917, directing the publication of a notification that the 4th June 1917 shall be a public holiday on account of His Majesty the King-Emperor's birth-day. May 29, No. 301 (G)

Indian War Loan.—Recording G.O. No. 276, Financial, dated 3rd May 1917, directing the publication of the notification of the Government of India regarding the facilities offered by the Bank of Madras to the Government servants in the Madras Presidency for subscribing to the —, and communicating to all heads of departments letter from the Comptroller and Auditor-General containing instructions in regard to the procedure to be followed in giving effect to the scheme. May 29, No. 302 (G)

General Provident Fund.—Recording G.O. No. 295, Financial, dated 9th May 1917, recording letter from the Government of India conveying their decision to allow subscribers to the —, certain concessions in order to enable them to subscribe to the Indian War Loan. May 29, No. 303 (G)

Indian War Loan.—Recording G.O. No. 307, Financial, dated 15th May 1917, communicating to heads of departments endorsement of the Government of India containing certain amendments to their telegram of the 13th April 1917 in regard to the investment in the — of the security deposits of Government employees in Post Office Savings Banks. May 29, No. 304 (G)

Fishery rentals.—Communicating to Superintending Engineers, III, V and VII Circles, G.O. No. 856, Revenue, dated 21st March 1917, passing orders on the subject of the grant of compensation to the North Arcot, Chittoor, Anantapur, Nellore and Chingleput District Boards for loss of — in respect of certain tanks. May 30, No. 309 (G)

Contributions to the War.—Recording G.O. No. 667, Public, dated 23rd May 1917, requesting the Private and Military Secretaries of His Excellency the Governor to submit to Government a list of all contributions which have been made to the war in the past by this Presidency and to report particulars of any additions at the beginning of each month. May 31, No. 311 (G)

Fishery sales.—Communicating to Superintending Engineers of Circles G.O. No. 1436, Revenue, dated 21st May 1917, accepting the proposal of the Honorary Director of Fisheries in considering that Revenue and Public Works Department officers should consult the Piscicultural expert before — are confirmed by them. June 1, No. 313 (G)

Restrictions on enemy trade in Japan.—(Confidential). June 6, No. 319 (G)

Treatment of Japanese subjects.—(Confidential). June 6, No. 320 (G)

Conviction for removing earth valued at Rs. 2 from the bed of the Tungabhadra drain poramboke of Public Works Department.—Informing Superintending Engineer, II Circle, that one Tsundur Venkatappayya was convicted and sentenced to pay a fine of Rs. 5 by the High Court for removing earth. June 9, No. 325 (G)

Conferment of statutory powers to summon witnesses and produce documents in departmental enquiries.—Recording G.O. No. 429, Home (Mis.), dated 2nd May 1917, recording papers relating to the advisability of conferring statutory powers on heads of departments to summon witnesses to produce documents in connexion with departmental enquiries into the conduct of public servants. June 12, No. 330 (G)

Use of the prefix "Mr." in referring to Deputy Collector in office-notes.—Recording the note, dated 9th May 1917, of the Revenue Secretariat informing of the — in that department. June 15, No. 340 (G)

Correspondence with the Assam Administration.—Recording Endorsement No. 1535-2, Public, dated 23rd May 1917, stating that all — will be addressed to the Secretary concerned to the Chief Commissioner and not to the Chief Commissioner direct. June 16, No. 343 (G)

Editors' Table papers.—Recording G.O. No. 543, Home (Mis.), dated 5th June 1917, directing that the item "Budget Estimates of Port Marine and Coast-Lights Funds" be deleted from the list of papers of local importance and interest appended to rule III of the revised rules for the selection of — appended to G.O. No. 362, Home (Mis.), dated 6th April 1917. June 16, No. 344 (G)

Rewards.—Recording G.O. No. 640, Public, dated 21st May 1917, passing orders on the question of permitting Government servants to receive — offered by the military authorities for services rendered in connexion with recruiting. June 21, No. 347 (G)

Gōdāvari river conservancy.—Issuing instructions to the Collector of Gōdāvari regarding the furnishing of certain information regarding — to the Raja of Pithapuram. June 25, No. 355 (G), Confdl.

Boiler pressure of engine No. 1017 supplied by the Executive Engineer, Kurnool division, for military purposes.—Informing the Engineer Stores Officer, Bombay, of the —. June 27, No. 360 (G)

MISCELLANEOUS—*cont.*

Despatch of all communications to the same addressee in a single cover.—Recording a copy of the demi-official from the Under Secretary to the Government of India, No. 6407-G., dated 6th June 1917, regarding the —. July 4, No. 365 (G)

War contributions.—Recording G.O. No. 427, Financial, dated 28th June 1917, regarding the procedure to be adopted in connection with contributions offered by private persons towards the cost of carrying on the war. July 4, No. 366 (G)

Article 84-A of the Civil Account Code.—Recording G.O. No. 346, Financial, dated 29th May 1917, directing all heads of departments to take steps for putting a stop to the practice of drawing money from the treasury in advance of requirements which is in contravention of the ruling in —. July 5, No. 371 (G)

Contributions to the War.—Recording G.O. No. 798, Public, dated 16th June 1917, issuing certain instructions in regard to the preparation of the reports called for in G.O. No. 667, Public, dated 23rd May 1917, of contributions made by this Presidency towards the prosecution of the war. July 5, No. 372 (G)

Editors' Table papers.—Recording G.O. No. 596, Home (Miscellaneous), dated 16th June 1917, directing that the item "Compensation for dearness of food—orders sanctioning the grant of" be deleted from the list of papers of local importance and interest appended to rule III of the revised rules for the selection of — appended to G.O. No. 362, Home (Miscellaneous), dated 6th April 1917. July 5, No. 374 (G)

Fishing in anicuts.—Directing that the scope of the orders issued in G.O. No. 428 I., dated 19th September 1916, does not cover the rivers in the Tanjore district for the duration of the current lease and requesting the Superintending Engineer, VII Circle, to submit a report on the present system before the termination of the current lease. July 6, No. 278 I. (A)

Editors' Table papers.—Recording G.O. No. 633, Home (Miscellaneous), dated 23rd June 1917, directing that the item "Plague expenditure — consolidated estimates of" be deleted from the list of papers of local importance and interest appended to Rule III of the revised rules for the selection of — appended to G.O. No. 363, Home (Miscellaneous), dated 6th April 1917. July 6, No. 378 (G)

Spelling of personal names.—Recording G.O. No. 626, Home (Miscellaneous), dated 22nd June 1917, directing that in official publications and correspondence the name of Mr. C. V. Narasiah, Barrister-at-Law, Coimbatore, be spelt "Narasiah." July 7, No. 384 (G)

Shelter for destitute widows and orphans of British soldiers.—Recording G.O. No. 815, Public, dated 19th June 1917, directing the publication for general information of the revised rules issued for the provision of —. July 9, No. 389 (G)

Powers of the President, Indian Munition Board.—Recording G.O. No. 699 W., dated 28th May 1917, recording communication from the Government of India regarding the —. July 10, No. 390 (G)

Schedule of claims for impressed river-craft.—Returning to the Government Member, River-craft Arbitration Committee, Bombay, duly verified and completed extract from the —. July 14, No. 395 (G)

Rettaimalai Tirupathi temple, Srivaikuntam taluk, Tinnevelly district.—Directing, with remarks, that the proposals for the reconstruction of the river wall round the — be dropped. July 16, No. 293 I. (B)

Requirements of troops on active service.—Recording G.O. No. 855, Public, dated 27th June 1917, publishing, for general information, the press communiqué, dated 16th June 1917, issued by the Indian Munition Board on the subject of ice plants and thermantidotes required for troops on active service. July 16, No. 399 (G)

Loss at sea of letter and parcel mails.—Recording endorsement No. 2445-1, Home (Miscellaneous), dated 10th July 1917, forwarding a copy of a telegram from the Secretary of State for India, dated 26th June 1917, regarding the — despatched from London on 31st May and 23rd May, respectively. July 16, No. 401 (G)

Board's Standing Order No. 4.—Communicating to Superintending Engineers, I and II Circles, an amendment proposed by the Board of Revenue to rule IV of sections B, C, D and E of Appendix I to —. July 18, No. 403 (G)

Editors' Table papers.—Recording G.O. No. 752, Home (Miscellaneous), dated 10th July 1917, directing that the item "Post Marine and Coast Lights Funds—Preliminary accounts of" be deleted from the list of papers of local importance and interest appended to rule III of the revised rules for the selection of — appended to G.O. No. 362, Home (Miscellaneous), dated 6th April 1917. July 24, No. 411 (G)

Covers.—Recording G.O. No. 428, Financial, dated 28th June 1917, directing that used — of certain sizes be remade into smaller ones. July 25, No. 412 (G)

MISCELLANEOUS—*cont.*

Maintenance of service rolls instead of service books for all inferior servants.—Recording G.O. No. 167 (Financial), Pension, dated 21st June 1917, communicating to all heads of departments for information and guidance letter from the Government of India, Finance Department, No. 502-C.S.R., dated 29th May 1917, deciding that service rolls instead of service books should be maintained for all inferior servants. July 25, No. 415 (G)

Service postage stamps.—Recording G.O. No. 430, Financial, dated 28th June 1917, sanctioning the introduction into this presidency of the system of adjusting the cost of — referred to in the Government of India, Finance Department, letter No. 257-A, dated 6th June 1917, and requesting the Accountant-General to report whether any reduction of existing permanent advances of the various officers affected by the scheme should be made. July 25, No. 417 (G)

Variation between the values per acre of paddy grown in fasli 1325 *under the Kalingarayan channel, Chembrambakkam tank.*—Forwarding to the Superintending Engineers, V and VI Circles, copies of Resolution No. 1528, Mis., dated 7th July 1917, of the Board of Revenue (Revenue Settlement), explaining the causes that led to the —. July 25, No. 420 (G)

Customs duty.—Recording G.O. No. 807 W., dated 18th June 1917, declaring that no change is necessary in the present practice of levy of — on goods imported by Government for use in municipal works, and directing that provision for — be made in all future estimates for municipal works. July 26, No. 422 (G)

Customs (war).—Recording G.O. Mis. No. 2110, Revenue, dated 13th July 1917, communicating to the heads of departments under the Revenue Department letter from the Government of India on the subject of marking goods supplied to Government departments in India by the Director-General of Stores in accordance with the provisions of the Indian Merchandise Marks Act, 1889. July 30, No. 426 (G)

Editors' Table privileges.—Recording G.O. No. 664, Home (Miscellaneous), dated 27th June 1917, stating that as a measure of war economy the supply of official papers placed on the Editors' Table shall be discontinued to the editors' of newspapers outside the Madras Presidency. July 30, No. 427 (G)

Proposal to form a co-operative society for Government servants.—Recording extract from notes to G.O. No. 479, Financial, dated 20th July 1917, regarding the —. July 30, No. 430 (G)

Re-settlement.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, VII Circle, G.O. No. 1771, Revenue, dated 18th June 1917, recording, with remarks, the report on the introduction of — rates in the taluks of South Cheyyar and Wandiwash in North Arcot district. August 6, No. 440 (G)

Undercharges of freight.—Recording G.O. No. 444, Financial, dated 4th July 1917, directing that as the Railway Companies have agreed to refund all overcharges of Rs. 5 and overpaid by Civil Departments, all heads of departments and offices should promptly pay without demur all undercharges after delivery. August 7, No. 442 (G)

Maintenance of proper discipline in the Secretariat premises at Ootacamund.—Recording the office order dated 25th July 1917 of the Chief Secretariat regarding the —. August 8, No. 452 (G)

Papers relating to the Madras Cauvery Reservoir project.—Forwarding to the Punjab Government Volumes I—IV of the —. August 10, No. 458 (G)

Papers relating to the pumping plant on the Divi Island, Kistna district.—Forwarding to the Bengal Government copies of certain Government orders regarding the —. August 11, No. 459 (G)

Orders containing instructions for the guidance of officers.—Recording the u.o. note dated 24th July 1917 of the Revenue Department requesting that ten spare copies of all — may be furnished to them to be transmitted to the Registrar of Co-operative Societies. August 16, No. 460 (G)

Endowment.—Recording G.O. No. 912, Home (Education), dated 11th July 1917, accepting, with thanks, the offer of Oyitti M. Kalliyani Amma, of the Government $3\frac{1}{2}$ per cent promissory notes of the face value of Rs. 800 and authorising the Accountant-General to receive the amount and add it to the corpus of the Queen-Empress Mary Coronation — at Cannanore. August 16, No. 461 (G)

General Provident Fund.—Recording G.O. No. 501, Financial, dated 27th July 1917, recording resolution of the Government of India, Finance Department, No. 751 F.E., dated 9th July 1917, making certain addition to clause (6) of rule 10 of the rules regulating the — published with resolution No. 584 F.E., dated 20th May 1915. August 17, No. 463 (G)

Freight (Railway and Inland Steam-Vessel) Tax Act, 1917.—Recording communication from the Government of India forwarding a copy of their telegram to the Government of Burma stating that freight tax is not leviable on live-stock. August 18, No. 296 I. (R)

MISCELLANEOUS—*cont.*

Madras River Conservancy Act VI of 1884.—Issuing for the guidance of the officers concerned executive instructions in regard to (1) the method of settling compensation and (2) the principles on which it should be assessed under the —. August 20, No. 345 I. (A) (Confdl.)

Loss at sea of mails that left Bombay on 7th July 1917 *for the United Kingdom.*—Forwarding to the Superintendent of Irrigation Department of Interior, Ottawa, Canada, copy of letter No. 363 G., dated 2nd July 1917. August 22, No. 470 (G)

Printing Manual.—Recording G.O. No. 519, Financial, dated 3rd August 1917, issuing an erratum to G.O. No. 339, Public, dated 26th March 1917, regarding the rules in the — governing binding work. August 23, No. 471 (G)

Fraudulent alterations in the quantity of firewood indented for on the Jemadar watchman, Stonehouse Hill.—Recording office order No. 425 D, Public Works Department, issuing instructions with a view to prevent the —. August 23, No. 472 (G)

Bicycles—Recording G.O. No. 509, Financial, dated 31st July 1917, laying down rules to regulate the question of *initial* supply of — to offices. August 23, No. 474 (G)

Editors' table privileges.—Recording G.O. No. 755, Home (Miscellaneous), issuing a list of newspapers, institutions, officials, and others admitted to the privileges of the Editors' table as revised up to 31st March 1917. August 23, No. 476 (G)

Petty works.—Recording G.O. No. 1016 W., dated 4th August 1917, informing the Board of Revenue that the construction of — in the Presidency town should be carried out by the Public Works Department. August 23, No. 477 (G)

General Provident Fund.—Recording G.O. No. 498, Financial, dated 27th July 1917, recording letter from the Government of India, Finance Department, No. 736 F.E., dated 5th July 1917, sanctioning the extension to members of the Departmental Provident funds and of the Special Provident funds, on bonus terms the concessions allowed to subscribers to the — in order to enable them to subscribe to the Indian war loan. August 23, No. 479 (G)

Distribution of business in the Madras Secretariat.—Recording G.O. No. 1020, Public, dated 11th August 1917, issuing corrigendum to the — laid down in G.O. No. 1426, Public, dated 28th July 1916. August 23, No. 483 (G)

Tuberculosis.—Recording G.O. No. 339, Local and Municipal (Medical), passing orders on the Surgeon-General's proposals for the medical examination of all Government servants in Madras city with a view to check the spread of — among them. August 23, No. 484 (G)

Agricultural practices.—Recording G.O. Mis. No. 2377, Revenue, dated 4th August 1917, passing orders in regard to Mr. Tampoe's special duty for enquiring into the — in the Gōdāvari Western Delta. August 24, No. 488 (G)

Binoculars.—Recording G.O. No. 988, Public, dated 31st July 1917, republishing in the *Fort St. George Gazette* and in all District Gazettes a press communiqué issued by Government of India containing an appeal from the Commander-in-Chief for the supply of — from the public for the use of officers in service in Mesopotamia. August 28, No. 491 (G)

Delegation of powers.—Recording G.O. No 528, Financial, dated 8th August 1917, regarding delegation to Local Governments of power to declare for acting allowance purposes, the pay of an appointment when the rate of pay is personal to the permanent incumbent. August 28, No. 496 (G)

Flags.—Recording G.O. No. 945, Home (Miscellaneous), dated 1st August 1917, prescribing a list of occasions on which — should be flown on public buildings. August 28, No. 498 (G)

Oriental Language Teachership Examination.—Recording G.O. No. 857, Home (Miscellaneous), dated 24th July 1917, directing the publication of the notification of the Government of India regarding certain amendments to the rules for the —. August 28, No. 500 (G)

Social Reform Advocate.—Recording G.O. No. 1029, Home (Miscellaneous), dated 8th August 1917, informing the Editor of the — that copies of the report on the proceedings of the conference of Directors of Public Instruction and of the report of the Royal Commission on education in England are not avilable for distribution. August 29, No 501 (G)

Government Servants' Conduct Rules.—Recording G.O. No. 989, Home (Miscellaneous), dated 10th August 1917, directing the issue of a special local ruling to the — enjoining upon every Government servant, who consults a medical practitioner with a view to obtaining leave on medical certificate, to disclose to that practitioner the fact of his having previously consulted any other practitioner and the result of such consultation. August 29, No. 504 (G)

Treatment of secret and confidential papers.—Recording Home (Miscellaneous) Department G.O. No. 991, dated 11th August 1917, issuing a memorandum of instructions for the —. September 7, No. 515 Confdl. (G)

Oriental languages.—Recording G.O. No. 918, Home (Miscellaneous), dated 27th July 1917, recording endorsement of the Government of India forwarding notification No. 74, dated 7th July 1917, making certain amendments in the rules for the study of —. September 12, No. 519 (G)

MISCELLANEOUS—*cont.*

Finger impressions.—Recording G.O. No. 203, Financial (Pension), dated 6th August 1917, directing that certain alterations be made to note III to rule 2 of the rules in appendix to G.O. No. 414, Pension, dated 9th June 1905, and stating that pensioners of this Presidency whose monthly pensions exceed Rs. 50 will be exempted from the operation of that rule. September 12, No. 520 (G)

Forest railways and tramways.—Recording G.O. No. 2594, Revenue, dated 24th August 1917, replying to the letter from the Government of India enquiring whether any materials for light — would be required by the Forest department in this Presidency September 12, No 521 (G)

Labour corps.—Recording G.O. No. 2608, Revenue, dated 27th August 1917, communicating resolution of the Government of India giving the conditions of service for permanent civil employees of Government departments who hold appointments in — or in any other non-combatant unit recruited for military service overseas. September 12, No. 522 (G)

Indian Defence Force.—Recording G.O. No. 1078, Public, dated 27th August 1917, recording endorsement of the Government of India forwarding copy of their letter to the Government of the Punjab regarding the pay and allowances of an official in Government employ who has been, or may be, appointed an additional Staff Captain in connection with the formation of the —. September 12, No. 523 (G)

Indian War Loan.—Recording G.O. No. 566, Financial, dated 29th August 1917, communicating letter from the Government of India stating that the Post office 5-year cash certificates may be accepted as security deposits for the amount at which the certificates were purchased. September 12, No. 524 (G)

Electric lights and fans.—Recording Chief Engineer's Memorandum No. 5492-C., dated 30th August 1917, recording letter from the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, requesting that further requisitions for — may not be made unless they are absolutely necessary. September 15, No. 525 (G)

Headquarters.—Recording G.O. No. 2753, Revenue, dated 5th September 1917, fixing the — of Mr. Tampoe at Madras during the period of his special duty for the preparation of his report on the result of the enquiry into the agricultural practices of the Gōdāvari Western delta. September 13, No. 526 (G)

Indian Army Reserve of Officers.—Recording G.O. No. 1077, Public, dated 27th August 1917, recording endorsement of the Government of India on the subject of the re-employment of retired officers with a view to releasing young officers fit for combatant duty. September 14, No. 532 G (Confdl).

Donga Woddars.—Communicating to Superintending Engineer, III Circle, G.O. No. 1860, Home (Judicial), dated 5th September 1917, passing orders on the question of forming a settlement for the criminal tribe of — in the Kurnool district. September 17, No. 534 (G)

Collection of surcharge on goods carried by vessels.—Communicating to the officers concerned letter from the Government of India No. 9681, dated 17th August 1917, regarding the —. September 20, No. 388 I. (R)

Reduction in printing charges.—Recording G.O. No. 526, Financial, dated 7th August 1917, passing orders on the further proposals of the Superintendent, Government Press, with regard to —. September 28, No. 542 (G)

Holiday.—Recording G.O. No. 1079, Home (Miscellaneous), dated 24th September 1917, sanctioning the grant of a half holiday to the European and Eurasian employees of Government on the 6th October 1917 on the occasion of the 38th anniversary of the Anglo-Indian Association of Southern India. October 4, No. 558 (G)

Register of resolutions.—Recording G.O. R. No. 58, Legislative, dated 17th September 1917, regarding distribution of copies of — to the several departments of the Secretariat. October 8, No. 565 (G)

Tour programme.—Recording the — of the Honourable Member (Sir A. G. Cardew) for July in Guntūr. October 9, No. 571 (G)

Agreements from ryots regarding lands required for irrigation works.—Informing Superintending Engineers that the — should be submitted through the Revenue Divisional officers. October 10, No. 578 (G)

Plague regulation.—Recording Public Works Department Memorandum No. 6233 C., dated 9th October 1917, communicating G.O. No. 383 P., dated 20th September 1917, ordering the publication of a notification extending the term of the existing temporary—up to 30th April 1918. October 15, No. 590 (G)

Examinations.—Recording G.O. No. 1065, Home (Mis.) Department, directing that Hindustani should be recognized in future as one of the vernacular languages in which candidates may appear for translation and other compulsory vernacular tests. October 18, No. 606 (G

MISCELLANEOUS—*cont.*

Confidential Government Order.—Recording the — regarding the arrival and departure of ships. October 18, No. 607 (G)

Formation of a settlement for the Togamalai Koravas near the Grand Anicut, Trichinopoly.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, VII Circle, G.O. No. 2028, Home (Judicial), dated 28th September 1917, recording correspondence regarding the — and applying section 10 (*a*) of the "Criminal Tribes Act," etc. October 18, No. 608 (G)

Holidays.—Recording G.O. No. 1095, Home (Miscellaneous), dated 2nd October 1917, directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* declaring that Wednesday, 12th December 1917, shall be a public holiday on account of the holding of "Our day" celebration in India. October 19, No. 609 (G)

Royal Proclamation.—Recording G.O. No. 1076, Home (Miscellaneous), dated 21st September 1917, recording notification of the Government of India, Home Department, No. 652, dated 6th September 1917, publishing a proclamation of His Majesty the King declaring that the name of Windsor is to be borne by his Royal house and family and relinquishing all German titles. October 20, No. 610 (G)

Addresses to Mr. Montagu.—Recording endorsement No. 4221 W., dated 30th October 1917, communicating telegram from the Government of India, Home Department, No. 887, dated 16th October 1917, that Mr. Montagu has definitely decided to receive no address of any kind except in connexion with reforms. November 6, No. 634 (G)

Native of India.—Recording G.O. No. 1266, Public, dated 23rd October 1917, recording letter from the Government of India, Home Department, No. 1030, dated 5th October 1917, suggesting the desirability of avoiding the use of the term Statutory Native of India and stating that the definition of — as in article 37 of Civil Service Regulations should be used. November 7, No. 638 (G)

Recruiting.—Recording G.O. No. 3454, Revenue, dated 2nd November 1917, issuing instructions in regard to the arrangements for — in this Presidency. November 10, No. 642 (G)

Copies of order or records.—Recording G.O. No. 1137, Home (Mis.) Department, dated 2nd November 1917, directing that — supplied by one department of Government to another should be made on plain unstamped paper and by the ordinary staff. November 19, No. 656 (G)

Viceroy's Tour.—(Confidential). November 20, No. 658 (G)

Survey, Settlement and Revenue Inspector's training.—Recording Chief Engineer, Public Works Department's Memorandum No. 6903 C., recording G.O. No. 684, Financial, dated 20th October 1917, that Superintendents and clerks in Secretariats and Madras Record Office may be deputed for —. November 20, No. 661 (G)

Indian Defence Force.—Recording P.W.D. No. 7436 C., dated 26th November 1917, communicating G.O. No. 1043, Public, dated 20th November 1917, stating that G.O. No. 1043, Public, dated 16th August 1917, regarding the lien on their civil appointment of temporary Government servants who have joined the — applies also to members of the "Works" establishment. December 4, No. 685 (G)

Savings in the sanctioned grants under irrigation works.—Recording Financial Department memorandum and the note thereon regarding the —. December 5, No. 688 (G)

Holidays.—Recording G.O. No. 1221, Home (Miscellaneous), dated 3rd September 1917, directing the publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* of a notification regarding — during the year 1918 under the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881. December 10, No. 707 (G)

Clothing.—Recording G.O. No. 779, Financial, dated 1st December 1917, requesting officers to scrutinize the scale of — and to state if the period of wear cannot be extended. December 22, No. 724 (G)

Service roll for all inferior servants.—Recording G.O. No. 283, Financial, dated 22nd November 1917, communicating letter from the Government of India issuing instructions regarding the maintenance of —. December 22, No. 725 (G)

Burrow-pits on river bund at Polavaram.—Recording papers regarding —. December 22, No. 726 (G)

War risks compensation.—Recording G.O. No. 479, Marine, dated 26th November 1917, communicating endorsement from the Government of India forwarding papers regarding —. December 22, No. 727 (G)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Public Service and Special Tests notifications.—Recording G.O. No. 1021, Home (Education), dated 6th August 1917, passing orders on certain proposals made by the Board of Revenue and other heads of departments with reference to G.O. No. 969, Home (Education), dated 13th September 1916, relating to the amendment of the rules embodied in the —. September 3, No. 505 (G)

Examination in Oriental languages.—Recording G.O. No. 1198, Home (Miscellaneous), dated 27th November 1917, recording endorsement of the Government of India, Department of Education, No. 96, dated 1st November 1917, forwarding notification No. 95 of the same date, making certain amendments in the rules for the study of oriental languages published with that department's notification No. 80, dated 6th June 1914. December 13, No. 711 (G)

OFFICERS AND SUBORDINATES.

Application for exemption from Military Service.—Recording Public Department Endorsement No. 1234-3, dated 11th April 1917, stating that all Collectors except that of Madras should include in their — all Police officers, as well as the Collector and the District Judge. April 27, No. 225 (G)

Applications for absolute exemption from Military Service or training under the Indian Defence Force Act, 1917.—Recording paper regarding the disposal of the —. April 27, No. 227 (G)

Lien on appointment.—Recording G.O. No. 203, Financial, dated 3rd April 1917, passing orders on the question as regards lien on his permanent appointment of a subordinate who is appointed to a temporary post. April 27, No. 228 (G)

Exemption from military service.—Recording demi-official letter from Mr. L. Davidson, Acting Chief Secretary to Government, regarding —. May 2, No. 230 (G)

Additional Medical Officer, Ootacamund.—Recording G.O. No. 38, Medical, dated 23rd April 1917, recording the report of the District Medical and Sanitary Officer stating that Mr. H. S. Hensman, —, reported himself to duty on 16th April 1917. May 2, No. 233 (G)

Indian Defence Force Act III of 1917.—Recording G.O. No. 443, Public, issuing revised instructions to all Collectors in regard to the applications for exemption of Government servants from military service under the — and the rules framed thereunder. May 2, No. 234 (G)

Indian Defence Force.—Recording G.O. No. 464, Public, dated 21st April 1917, directing the publication for general information of the list of training centres for the —, Madras Presidency. May 3, No. 243 (G)

Indian Defence Force.—Recording G.O. No. 469, Public, dated 23rd April 1917, containing information for the guidance of persons other than European British subjects desiring voluntarily to enrol themselves in the —. May 9, No. 248 (G)

Indian Defence Force.—Recording G.O. No. 520, Public, dated 28th April 1917, directing the publication, for general information, of the telegram from the Government of India issuing instructions to the military authorities that members of the — should not do drills until medically examined. May 9, No. 249 (G)

Government servant.—Recording G.O. No. 372, Home (Miscellaneous), dated 10th April 1917, issuing instructions that no — should become a member of a "Round Table" group in India. May 21, No. 261 (G)

Indian Defence Force.—Recording G.O. No. 496, Public, dated 26th April 1917, directing the publication for general information of the list of training centres for the — in Mysore and Hyderabad. May 21, No. 263 (G)

Indian Defence Force Act III of 1917.—Recording G.O. No. 522, Home, dated 28th April 1917, directing the publication for general information of the regulations for the Indian Defence Force issued by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India under sections 14 and 15 of the —. May 21, No. 265 (G)

Indian Defence Force.—Recording G.O. No. 546, Public, dated 3rd May 1917, directing that in applying the limit of age prescribed by article 51, Civil Service Regulations, for admission into Government service, heads of departments shall exclude from a candidate's age any period during which he may have actually served as a volunteer in the — whether for the purpose of preliminary training or when called up for service. May 21, No. 268 (G)

Indian Defence Force.—Recording G.O. No. 537, Public, dated 1st May 1917, regarding the method of dealing with members of volunteer corps who are not liable to military service under the —. May 21, No. 269 (G)

Indian Defence Force.—Recording G.O. No. 557, Public, dated 5th May 1917, regarding the procedure to be followed in the enrolment and attestation of persons other than European British subjects who volunteer for service in the —. May 21, No. 270 G. (Confidential.)

Indian Army.—Recording G.O. No. 563, Public, dated 7th May 1917, recording letter from the Government of India forwarding a copy of a letter to the Government of Bengal containing instructions in regard to the concessions to be granted to all Indian employees of Government who enlist into the —. May 22, No. 272 (G)

Military officers in civil employ.—Recording G.O. No. 540, Public, dated 1st May 1917, recording Army Department letter conveying Government of India's order extending the rules governing the question of the pay admissible to — recalled to military duty to the cases of officers of the Cantonment Magistrates' Department whose services have been or may be utilized for temporary military duty during the period of the war. May 24, No. 284 (G)

Indian Defence Force Act III of 1917.—Recording G.O. No. 568, Public, dated 9th May 1917, directing the publication for general information of the regulations for the training of the Indian Defence Force issued by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India under section 15 of the —. May 28, No. 295 (G)

OFFICERS AND SUBORDINATES—*cont.*

Indian Defence Force.—Recording G.O. No. 606, Public, dated 14th May 1917, making an addition to the "list of training centres for the —, Mysore State," printed in G.O. No. 496, Public, dated 26th April 1917. May 28, No. 299 (G)

Indian Defence Force.—Recording G.O. No. 623, Public, dated 17th May 1917, recording memorandum from the Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, 9th Division, regarding the procedure to be followed in the case of Government officials proceeding on tour, who are members of the —. May 28, No. 300 (G)

"*Round Table Group*".—Recording G.O. No. 485, Home (Miscellaneous), dated 22nd May 1917, recording letter from the Government of India, forwarding copy of a letter from Mr. Lionel Curtis in which he gives an assurance that no — will, for the present, be organised in India. May 31, No. 310 (G)

Indian Defence Force.—Recording G.O. No. 679, Public, dated 25th May 1917, recording letter from the Adjutant-General in India, dated 15th May 1917, forwarding copy of letter regarding the grant of leave to members of the —. June 5, No. 315 (G)

Indian Defence Force.—Recording G.O. No. 680, Public, dated 25th May 1917, recording letter from the Adjutant-General in India, dated 15th May 1917, forwarding copy of letter regarding the position of volunteers who are on active service in the —. June 5, No. 316 (G)

The Government Solicitor.—Recording Home (Judicial) Department's u.o. No. 1443-B-2, dated 31st May 1917, informing that the Government have permitted — to stay at Bangalore during June 1917. June 6, No. 318 (G)

Deputy Secretary.—Recording G.O. No. 352, Financial, dated 31st May 1917, sanctioning the extension up to 31st August 1917 of the temporary appointment of — to Government. June 7, No 321 (G)

Agricultural practices.—Communicating to Superintending Engineer, II Circle, G.O. No. 1604, Revenue, dated 5th June 1917, extending the period of special duty of Mr. Tampoe in connection with the enquiry into — in the Gōdāvari Western Delta. June 9, No. 326 (G)

Officers under training.—Recording G.O. No. 329, Financial, dated 24th May 1917, passing general orders as regards concessions to — under articles 86, 160-A, 203-A, 411 and 1138-A, Civil Service Regulations. June 11, No. 329 (G)

Indian Defence Force Act of 1917.—Recording G.O. No. 766, Public, dated 11th June 1917, regarding the regulations dealing the finance of the Indian Defence Force issued by His Excellency the Commander-in Chief in India under section 15 of the —. July 4, No. 367 (G)

Indian Defence Force.—Recording G.O. No. 828, Public, dated 21st June 1917, notifying that service in the — will be taken into consideration when appointments are made in Government services, e.g., in the Revenue and Police Departments. July 5, No. 373 (G)

Additional Medical officer, Ootacamund.—Recording G.O. No. 71, Medical, dated 5th July 1917, recording letter from the — reporting his address. July 10, No. 391 (G)

Indian Defence Force.—Recording G.O. No 874, Public, dated 1st July 1917, authorizing Collectors and other heads of departments to allow their subordinates to join the Indian branch of the — and stating that permission should not be refused unless there are very strong administrative considerations which dictate such a course. July 16, No. 398 (G)

Complaints against Mr. Lutman, Superintending Engineer, II Circle. July 19, No. 404 G. (Confidential)

Military officers in civil employ.—Recording G.O. No. 869, Public, dated 29th June 1917, recording letter from the Government of India, Home Department (Political), No. 1636, dated 19th June 1917, on the subject of the emoluments of military officers in permanent civil employ on the supernumerary list who have been, or may be, employed on temporary military duty during the present war. July 19, No. 407 (G)

Indian Defence Force.—Recording G.O. No. 892, Public, dated 5th July 1917, directing the publication of the regulations issued governing the pay and allowances of officers and soldiers of the — other than Government servants, who are called out for general military service or ordered to perform actual military duty. July 25, No. 416 (G)

Leave to members of the Indian Defence Force.—Recording G.O. No. 903, Public, dated 9th July 1917, regarding the grant of —. July 25, No 418 (G)

Indian Defence Force.—Recording G.O. No. 933, Public, dated 19th March 1917, regarding the grant of a medical certificate by a civil medical board for the purpose of the grant of leave to a Government servant who is a member of the —. July 30, No. 425 (G)

List of civil officers lent by the Secretary of State to other Government departments.—Recording G.O. No. 885, Public, dated 3rd July 1917, containing certain instructions in regard to the —. July 30, No. 433 (G)

Indian Defence Force.—Recording G.O. No. 936, Public, dated 19th July 1917, directing the publication for general information of the regulations regarding the pay and allowances of members of the —who are Government servants. August 17, No. 464 (G)

OFFICERS AND SUBORDINATES—*cont.*

Indian Army Reserve of officers.—Recording G.O. No. 974, Public, dated 30th July 1917, recording letter from the Government of India, Army Department, No. 10123, dated 9th July 1917, on the subject of the emoluments of Government officers who, whilst holding appointments outside the regular line, are granted commissions in the —. August 17, No. 466 (G)

Anglo-Indian Force.—Recording G.O. No 1041, Public, dated 15th August 1917, recording endorsement of the Government of India forwarding copy of their letter to the Government of Bombay regarding the pay and allowances admissible to Government servants granted commissions in the — whilst serving within Indian limits and whilst employed overseas. August 28, No 494 (G)

Indian Defence Force.—Recording G.O. No. 1043, Public, dated 16th August 1917, informing heads of departments that Government servants holding temporary and acting appointments who enlist in the — will retain a lien on their civil appointments when called out for training or service. August 28, No 495 (G)

Deputy Secretary.—Recording G.O. No. 534, Financial, dated 11th August 1917, sanctioning the continuance up to 15th April 1918 of the temporary appointment of — to Government August 28, No. 499 (G)

Transfer of charge.—Recording papers relating to handing over charge of the Hon'ble Col. W. M. Ellis, C.I.E., R.E., and the assumption of charge by Mr. W. J. J. Howley of the office of Chief Engineer for Irrigation and Secretary to Government, Public Works Department. November 8, No 638 (G)

Inspection bungalow at Dowlaishwaram.—According sanction to the temporary occupation of the — by Mr. M. K. Ranganadham, Assistant Engineer. December 27, No. 529 I (B)

Civil officers on military duty.—Recording G.O. No. 1404, Public, dated 29th November 1917, recording endorsement of the Government of India on the subject of the admissibility of civil furlough pay to an officer who at the time of his transfer to military employ held no substantive appointment in the Civil department. December 22, No. 723 (G)

Dismissal from public service.—Recording G.O. No. 2596, Home (Judicial) Department, directing the — of T. S. Krishnaswami Ayyar, Inspector of Police, fourth class. December 28, No. 731 (G)

POWERS.

Powers of sanction.—Recording G.O. No. 665, Financial, dated 11th October 1917, recording Resolution of the Government of India, Finance Department, No. 1238-E.B., dated 28th September 1917, making certain amendments to the Resolution of the Finance Department, No. 361-E.A., dated 24th July 1916. October 29, No. 623 (G)

Mopad Project, Nellore division.—Conferring additional powers on the Executive Engineer, Mopad Project division, in regard to advance for the purchase of buffaloes for carting or pack purposes in the —. November 5, No. 457 I (A)

Delegation of powers to Superintending Engineers and Executive Engineers.—Recording notes connected with the question of further — in the matter of what are called "Code delegations" and "Expenditure delegations" referred to in the Government of India's Resolution No. 352-E.A (Finance Department), dated 22nd July 1917. December 8, No. 701 (G)

Investiture of powers.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, I Circle, G.O. No. 4134, Revenue, dated 19th December 1917, investing M.R.Ry. V. Venkanna Pantulu Garu, Deputy Collector on special duty, and Mr. C. B. Connell, Special Executive Engineer, with all the powers under Act V of 1893. December 21, No. 722 (G)

Financial powers of Local Governments under the Public Works Department Code.—Recording G.O. No. 1483 W., dated 20th November 1917, recording Standing Orders Nos. 479 and 480 to volume I of the Public Works Department Code regarding the —. December 28, No. 729 (G)

PROJECTS.

Cauvery (Metur) Reservoir Project.—Recording G.O. Press No. 2920, Revenue, dated 18th December 1916, revising the financial aspect of the —. January 11, No. 25 (G)

Cauvery (Metur) Reservoir Project.—Recording G.O. No. 2967, Revenue, dated 21st December 1916, recording reports regarding rates of compensation for lands to be taken up for the —. January 31, No. 63 (G)

Assignment of waste lands likely to be affected by the Cauvery (Metur) Reservoir Project.—Recording G.O. Mis. No. 193, Revenue, dated 23rd January 1917, recording Board's Proceedings issuing instructions regarding —. February 1, No. 64 (G)

Mechanical foreman for the Siddapur tank project, Kurnool division.—Sanctioning the employment of a — on Rs. 200 per mensem during 1917-18. February 8, No. 54 I. (A)

Issue of Government tools to the contractors in the Toludur Project works.—Passing orders on the question of —. February 9, No. 56 I. (B)

PROJECTS—*cont.*

Mopad project, Nellore district.—Conferring on the Executive Engineer, Mopad Project division, certain powers in regard to the opening of a grain bazaar and to the payment of advances to labourers on the —. February 12, No. 61 I. (A)

Siddapur tank project, Kurnool district.—Recording with remarks the report on the system of paying advances to labourers, etc., on the — for the period ending 31st December 1916. February 13, No. 67 I. (A)

List of irrigation projects in the Madras Presidency.—Publishing a — which can be taken up for execution provided an adequate water-rate is guaranteed. February 14, No. 69 I. (A)

Ithodu project, Anantapur district.—Approving the recommendation of the Chief Engineer for Irrigation to abandon the —. February 28, No. 86 I. (A)

Divi Pumping project.—Recording, with remarks, the report on the working of the — during 1915. March 9, No. 102 I. (A)

The Kistna Reservoir project.—Approving the recommendation of the Chief Engineer for Irrigation that — should remain in abeyance until a decision on the Cauvery Reservoir project is come to and informing the Government of India accordingly. March 15, Nos. 107-108 I. (A)

Revised estimate for the Chepad project.—Informing the Government of India that the — will probably be submitted to them by the end of April 1917. March 19, No. 170 (G)

Toludur project, South Arcot district.—Approving a second revised estimate of Rs. 32,10,000 for the — and forwarding the same to the Government of India for obtaining the sanction of the Secretary of State. March 26, Nos. 126-127 I. (A)

Stuartpet Settlement scheme.—Recording notes connected with the financial aspect of the —. March 26, No. 189 (G)

Periyar Power Scheme.—Ordering that a letter be sent to Mr. Garrett requesting him to communicate his acceptance or rejection of the terms in the draft concession as further modified by Government regarding the —. March 27, Nos. 128-129 I. (A) (Confidential).

Mopad Reservoir project, Nellore division.—Approving and forwarding to the Government of India for obtaining the sanction of the Secretary of State the fourth deviation statement of the — amounting to Rs. 21,97,000. March 29, Nos. 136-137 I. (A)

Divi Pumping Project, Kistna district.—Approving the report on the closure of the construction estimate of the — and ordering that a copy of the proceedings be forwarded to the Government of India together with the report and index map. April 3, Nos. 143-44 I. (A)

Cauvery Reservoir Project.—Recording papers furnishing Col. Smart with particulars regarding the —. April 26, No. 223 (G)

Mechanical Foreman, Siddapur Tank Project.—Withdrawing the sanction accorded in G.O. No. 54 I., dated 8th February 1917, to the employment during 1917-18 of a —, Kurnool Division, and approving the Superintending Engineer's action in having raised the pay of the chief driver. May 1, No. 172 I. (B)

Venkatapuram project.—Sanctioning the write-off of Rs. 12-6-0 outstanding against one Gokula Hussainappa, a workman, employed on the —. May 7, No. 179 I. (B)

Ladapuram Project, Trichinopoly district.—Approving the recommendation of the Chief Engineer for Irrigation that the further investigation of the — be dropped for the present and that the papers be recorded. May 17, No. 189 I. (A)

Periyār Power Scheme. May, 29, Nos. 211-12 I. (A) (Confdl.)

Constructing a reservoir at Panjapatti, Kulittalai taluk, Trichinopoly district.—Sanctioning, with remarks, a second revised estimate amounting to Rs. 4,04,600 including indirect charges for —. June 11, No. 228 I. (A)

Mopad Reservoir project, Nellore district.—Ordering that the revised forecast statements of financial prospects for the — be forwarded to the Government of India. June 11, Nos. 229-30 I. (B)

Siddapur Tank project, Kurnool division.—Recording the report on the system of paying advances to labourers, etc., on the — for the period ending 31st March 1917. June 18, No. 239 I. (B)

Irrecoverable advance.—Sanctioning the write off of an — of Rs. 18 made to certain labourers in the Siddapur Tank project, Kurnool division. June 18, No. 241 I. (B)

List of irrigation projects in the Madras Presidency.—Issuing errata to the — published in G.O. No. 69 I., dated 14th February 1917. June 18, No. 242 I. (A)

Ukkayapalli project.—Approving, with remarks, the proposal of the Superintending Engineer, III Circle, to construct roughstone culverts in place of certain ramps. June 23, No. 255 I. (B)

Tandava irrigation project near Tuni, Gōdāvari district.—Recording the papers connected with question No. 70 (original No. 68) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on 22nd May 1917 regarding the — and the answer given thereto. June 25, No. 259 I. (B)

PROJECTS—*cont.*

Madras-Cauvery Reservoir Project.—Recording the notes on the proposals made by Colonel Smart for revising the —. July 4, No. 275 I. (B)

Financial forecast statements of the Mopad Project.—Recording papers informing the Government of India that the — have been approved by the Revenue authorities. July 13, No. 394 (G)

Chepad Project, Cuddapah district.—Approving a second revised estimate amounting to Rupees 9,42,000 including direct and indirect charges for the — and ordering that a letter be sent to the Government of India requesting to accord sanction to the project under "35. Construction of Protective Irrigation Works." July 30, Nos. 316-17 I. (A)

Statement of advances for the purchase of bulls, buffaloes, etc., for work on the Toludur Project for the quarter ending 30th June 1917.—Recording the —. July 30, No. 320 I. (B)

Chepad project, Cuddapah district.—Forwarding to the Government of India a copy of G.O. No. 2456, Revenue, dated 10th August 1917, on the revised financial forecast of the —. August 17, Nos. 292-93 I. (R)

Cauvery (Metur) project.—Recording G.O. Mis. No. 2418, Revenue, dated 8th August 1917, recording Board's Proceedings recommending to Government the adoption of revised rates in connection with the compensation for lands required for the main canal and branches of the —. August 23, No. 486 (G)

Kistna Reservoir project.—Recording letter from the Government of India on the subject of the proposal to keep the — in abeyance until a decision is come to in respect of the Cauvery (Metur project). August 24, No. 352 I. (B)

Sidapur tank project, Kurnool division.—Recording, with remarks, the report on the system of paying advances to labourers, etc., on the — for the period ending 30th June 1917. August 27, No. 353 I (B)

Periyar Power scheme.—Forwarding to the Government of India the draft concession proposed to be granted to Mr. A. H. Garret regarding the —. August 28, Nos. 359-60 I. (A) (Confdl.)

Marandahalli project, Salem division.—Recording the papers relating to the — and requesting the Collector to report in due course whether the ryots are willing to pay an enhanced rate. September 20, No. 389 I. (A)

Uttaramerur tank project.—Directing, with remarks, that the — be abandoned. September 21, No. 393 I. (A)

Mopad Reservoir Project, Nellore division.—Communicating to the officers concerned letter from the Government of India forwarding copy of their despatch to the Secretary of State for India in which they propose to deal with the excess expenditure involved in the fourth deviation statement of the — in the completion report of the project. September 26, No. 401 I. (A)

Mysore-Madras Cauvery Arbitration.—Directing that a letter be sent to the Government of India submitting the comments of this Government on the Mysore Darbar's letter of 25th July 1917 regarding the regulation by the Darbar of the flow of water of the Cauvery river at their Krishna Raja Sagara reservoir at Kannambadi. October 5, Nos. 409-10 I. (A)

Periyar Power scheme (Confidential). October 9, Nos. 413-14 I. (A)

Mopad Project, Nellore district.—Sanctioning the write-off of a certain track and sleepers found deficient in the —. October 10, No. 416 I. (B)

Toludur Project.—Sanctioning the write-off of certain materials lost or damaged during the floods of —. October 10, No. 417 I. (B)

The Honourable the Resident in Mysore.—Forwarding copies of certain despatches between the Madras Government and the Secretary of State for India regarding the Mysore-Madras Cauvery Arbitration. October 10, No. 580 (G)

Mopad Project, Nellore district.—Recording letter from the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, stating that some of the sleepers ordered to be written off in G.O. No. 416 I. (Miscellaneous), dated 10th October 1917, have since been found. October 25, No. 616 (G)

Mysore-Madras Cauvery Arbitration.—Ordering that a letter be sent to the Resident in Mysore regarding the regulation of Krishnaraja Sagara at Kannambadi. October 26, No. 439 I. (A)

Mysore-Madras Cauvery Arbitration.—Letter sent to the Resident in Mysore regarding the regulation of the Krishnaraja Sagara at Kannambadi. October 26, No. 440 I (A)

Mellavagu project, Guntūr district.—Approving the recommendations of the Chief Engineer for Irrigation to abandon the further investigation of the —. October 26, No. 443 I. (A)

Fixing pipes in masonry in Chivalur channel, Bank canal, Kistna delta system.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 1,519 for —, Kistna Western division. November 2, No. 451 I. (B)

Marandahalli Project.—Stating that the — cannot be undertaken either as a productive work or as a protective work and requesting the Chief Engineer for Irrigation to submit the estimate revised for sanction under "33. Famine Relief." November 5, No. 456 I. (B)

PROJECTS—*cont.*

Mopad Project, Nellore division.—Conferring additional powers on Executive Engineer, Mopad Project division, in regard to the advance for the purchase of buffaloes for carting or pack purposes in the —. November 5, No. 457 I. (A)

Mite coolies' sheds at Nadukur and Kaviti (Nagavalli project).—According administrative approval to the construction of two — at an estimated cost of Rs. 420 each. November 10, No. 463 I. (B)

Legislative Council question.—Recording, with remarks, letters received from the Superintending Engineer, III Circle, submitting information regarding the projects in the Ceded districts included in the list drawn up by Mr. H. E. Clerk for the Irrigation Commission in 1902, about which it was stated in reply to a — No. 33 asked at the meeting of the Council held on 23rd May 1917 that Government had no information. November 10, No. 464 I. (A)

Improvements to Vellapallam Uppanar, Cauvery Delta system.—Sanctioning a deviation statement amounting to Rs. 53,645 for — and ordering that a copy of the proceedings be sent to the Government of India for information. November 16, Nos. 477-78 I. (A)

Chepad project, Cuddapah district.—Communicating to the officers concerned the sanction of the Government of India to the revised estimate for the —. November 21, No. 487 I. (A)

Transfer of the No. I subdivision and the hospital from Toludur to Tittagudi (Toludur project).—Approving the arrangements proposed by the Executive Engineer, Toludur Project division, in regard to the — and disposal of the quarters and other structures. November 27, No. 489 I. (B)

Bonus to contractors, Toludur project.—Approving the recommendation of the Chief Engineer for Irrigation that — be paid at the rate of 10 per cent on an annual outturn of more than Rs. 5,000, provided that half the number of coolies employed were from villages beyond 10 miles radius. November 30, No. 492 I. (B)

The Kannambadi project.—Recording cutting from *New India*, Madras, dated 29th November 1917, regarding —. December 3, No. 683 (G)

Toludur project, South Arcot.—Recording the report of the Special Deputy Collector on the completion of land acquisition work in connexion with channels and distributaries of the —. December 3, No. 498 I. (B)

Estimated liability regarding the Nagavalli project, Vizagapatam.—Recording notes connected with question No. 135 (original No. 137) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 20th November 1917 regarding — and the answer given thereto. December 3, No. 499 I. (B)

Thandava reservoir project, Vizagapatam division.—Sanctioning a revised estimate of Rs. 700 for the preliminary investigation of the —. December 7, No. 507 I. (B)

Extension of the date of completion of the work "Improvements to the Manniar Road between six vents surplus on the Cauvery and four vents surplus on the Coleroon, Cauvery delta system".—Sanctioning the — from 30th September 1917 to 31st January 1918, and sending a copy of the Proceedings to the Government of India. December 7, Nos. 453-54 I. (R)

Pimbalur reservoir project, Perambalur taluk, Trichinopoly district.—Abandoning, with remarks, the —. December 7, No. 508 I. (A)

Excavating Mudaliyar tributary drain, Divi pumping system.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 2,994 for —, Kistna Central division. December 7, No. 509 I. (B)

Notifying lands required for the Madras Cauvery (Metur) reservoir project.—Recording demi-official correspondence with Mr. T. R. J. Ward, Inspector-General of Irrigation, regarding the question of —. December 8, No. 702 (G)

Improvements to the Karenchedu block, Commamur canal, Kistna Western delta.—Communicating to the officers concerned letter from the Government of India according sanction to the estimate amounting to Rs. 19,585 for —. December 15, No. 517 I. (A)

Extending the revetment in Chippaleru south lock, Buckingham canal, Chingleput district.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 2,709 for —. December 15, No. 518 I. (B)

Mysore-Madras Cauvery Arbitration.—Ordering that a letter be sent to the Government of India submitting the comments of this Government on Mysore Darbar's letter of the 21st June 1917 on the subject of the regulation by the Darbar of the Krishnarajasagara reservoir at Kannambadi during the hot weather, viz., 1st February to 31st May. December 18, Nos. 522-23 I. (A)

PUBLICATIONS.

Handbook of Procedure and Precedents.—Recording G.O. No. 1842, Public, dated 27th November 1916, issuing certain addenda and corrigenda to the —. January 5, No. 4 (G)

Stationery Manual.—Recording G.O. No. 748, Financial, dated 20th December 1916, approving the proposal of the Superintendent of Stationery to eliminate item 419 "ink cake litho" from Appendix I to the —. January 8, No. 12 (G)

PUBLICATIONS—*cont.*

Addenda and Corrigenda No. 118 *to Bengal Irrigation, Manual, Volume I, 5th Edition.*—Recording letter No. 4807 I., dated 18th December 1916, from the Under Secretary to the Government of Bengal forwarding two copies of —. January 10, No. 16 (G)

Book on the Madras Exhibition, 1915.—Recording file regarding the supply of —. January 11, No. 18 (G)

65 "*Irrigation in the Cauvery delta.*"—Recording article from the "New India", dated 14th December 1916, under the heading —. January 11, No 24 (G)

Annual Indexes to the Proceedings of the Madras Government.—Recording G.O. No. 452, Home (Miscellaneous), dated 22nd December 1916, recording letter from the India Office stating that only two copies of the — may be sent to the India Office. January 15, No. 26 (G)

"*Loss of crops in Mamandur tank,*" *Cheyyār taluk, North Arcot district.*—Recording cutting from the "Hindu", dated 5th December 1916, entitled —. January 15, No. 27 (G)

Periodical supply of Government publications to the Registrar of the Allahabad University.—Recording Home (Mis.) U.O. No. 1665-1, dated 19th January 1917, regarding the —. January 31, No. 61 (G)

Board's Standing Order No. 18–2 (*b*) (ii).—Communicating to the Superintending Engineers G.O. No. 291, Revenue, dated 2nd February 1917, approving the amendment to — on the subject of the planting of trees on channel and river banks or *padugais* under the control of the Public Works Department in the Tanjore district. February 10, No. 84 (G)

Publications relating to certain irrigation works in India.—Forwarding the — to Monsieur Lavesvre, chargé des Travaux de L'Emprunt, Pondicherry. February 15, No. 90 (G)

Land Revenue policy of the Indian Government.—Recording G.O. Mis. No. 338, Revenue, dated 7th February 1917, recording letter from the Government of India regarding the reprinting of the —. February 15, No. 95 (G)

Addenda and Corrigenda No. 119 *to the Bengal Irrigation Manual, Volume I, 5th edition.*—Recording letter from the Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Public Works Department (Irrigation), forwarding two copies of —. March 5, No. 136 (G)

Spare copies of Government Orders of general importance.—Recording un-official note from the Local and Municipal (Plague) Department informing Secretariats that no — need be supplied to them. March 13, No. 164 (G)

Reduction in the number of copies of the Administration Report, Part II, Public Works Department, supplied to the Central Provinces Government.—Recording letter from the Secretary to Government, Central Provinces, suggesting a —. March 13, No. 165 (G)

Cochin Public Canals and Backwaters Navigation.—Recording G.O. No. 92, Public (Political) dated 28th February 1917, recording letter from the Resident in Travancore and Cochin forwarding a copy of the —. March 23, No. 177 (G)

Annual Irrigation Revenue Report of the Government of Bengal.—Recording letter from the Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Public Works Department (Irrigation), forwarding two copies of the —. March 23, No. 183 (G)

Agents for the sale of Government publications.—Recording G.O. No. 269, Public, dated 12th March 1917, regarding the appointment of William Wesley & Son, London, as —. March 26, No. 187 (G)

Official publications.—Recording G.O. Mis. No. 786, Revenue, dated 15th March 1917, communicating the circular from the Government of India intimating certain changes in the list showing the number of spare copies of certain — required by them. March 28, No. 194 (G)

Official publications.—Recording Chief Engineer, Public Works Department's Memorandum No. 2227 C., dated 27th March 1917, directing that the Government of India Press Room may be furnished with one instead of two copies of —. April 26, No. 216 (G)

German periodicals.—Recording Financial Memorandum No. 2704-2, dated 3rd April 1917, directing that the supply of all — should be discontinued and items deleted from the list. April 26, No. 217 (G)

List showing the number of copies of printed papers, rules and compilations required for use in the Department of Education of the Government of India.—Recording G.O. No. 338, Home (Miscellaneous), dated 2nd April 1917, communicating to the Superintendent, Government Press, and departments of the Secretariat a revised consolidated —. April 27, No. 226 (G)

Statistics of Irrigation, Water Distribution and working of the Distributaries of the canals in the Punjab for the year 1915–16."—Recording, with remarks, letter from the Chief Engineer, Irrigation Works, Punjab, forwarding eight copies of the book —. May 1, Nos. 162–63 I. (R)

Budget estimates of Public Works Department.—Recording letter from the Chief Engineer, Burma, that copies of the — will not be required by him during the continuance of the war. May 2, No. 232 (G)

PUBLICATIONS—*cont.*

Annual report of Irrigation works in Bihar and Orissa.—Recording letter from the Government of Bihar and Orissa forwarding a copy of the —. May 3, No. 244 (G)

Administrative report, etc., of the Canals in the North-West Frontier Province for the year 1915-16.—Recording letter from the Secretary for Irrigation, North-West Frontier Province, forwarding a copy of the —. May 9, No. 251 (G)

Correction slips to "Statistics of Revenue and Expenditure and Working of Canals in the Punjab."—Recording letter from the Chief Engineer, Irrigation Works, the Punjab, forwarding eight copies of — for 1915-16. May 17, No. 182 I. (R)

Moore's Manual of Family Medicine and Hygiene in India, 8th edition.—Recording G.O. No. 157, Medical, Mis., dated 19th April 1917, regarding the publication of the book —. May 21, No. 260 (G)

Printed copies of the Capital and Revenue Accounts of Government Residential buildings.—Recording Public Works Department Memorandum No. 2844 C., dated 1st May 1917, communicating letter from the Government of India stating that it will suffice if four — are supplied to them in future. May 21, No. 264 (G)

Final issue of the Public Works budget estimate.—Recording Public Works Department memorandum No. 3018 C., dated 8th May 1917, communicating copy of a letter from the Comptroller and Auditor-General, Delhi, intimating that only 52 copies of the — be supplied to him in future. May 22, No. 274 (G)

Printing manual.—Recording G.O. No. 338, Financial, dated 28th May 1917, issuing an erratum to G.O. No. 207, Public, dated 26th February 1917, regarding —. June 12, No. 331 (G)

Pamphlet containing an abstract of the rules relating to Public Service Examinations in the Madras Presidency.—Recording G.O. No. 673, Home (Education), dated 22nd May 1917, directing in modification of G.O. No. 919, Educational, dated 14th October 1912, that the — be issued once in five years, addenda and corrigenda being issued in the intervening years. June 12, No. 332 (G)

Printed copies of the Budget estimates of Burma.—Informing the Joint Secretary to the Government of Burma that — relating to "Irrigation Major Works" and "Minor Works and Navigation" will not be required in this office during the continuance of the war. June 21, No. 346 (G)

Contributions to the "Indian Industries and Power", Bombay.—Informing the Editor, "Indian Industries and Power" that the Government are unable to comply with his request for — on the Mopad and other projects. June 22, No. 349 (G)

Statistics of irrigation, water distribution and working of the distributaries of the canals in the Punjab for 1915-16.—Recording letter from the Chief Engineer of the Punjab forwarding copies of the slips entitled "For office use only" to be pasted over the price printed at the bottom of the outside covers of the volumes of —. June 29, No. 216 I. (R)

Statistics of revenue, expenditure and works of canals in the Punjab.—Recording letter from the Chief Engineer of the Punjab forwarding copies of the slip "For office use only" to be pasted over the word "price" printed on the inner and outer covers of the volume —. June 29, No. 217 I. (R)

Reports published by the Irrigation Branch, Canada.—Requesting the Superintendent of Irrigation, Department of Interior, Canada, to add the name of the Secretary, Public Works Department (Irrigation), Madras, to his mailing list and forward a copy of each of the —. July 2, No. 363 (G)

"*Rainfall data, of India for* 1915."—Acknowledging the receipt of an extra copy of the — from the Director-General of Observatories, Alipore, Calcutta. July 4, No. 364 (G)

Addenda and corrigenda to Irrigation Manual, Volume I.—Recording letter from the Government of Bengal, No. 1489-1, dated 7th June 1917, forwarding copies of —. July 5, No. 376 (G)

Official publications.—Recording G.O. No. 333, Financial, dated 25th May 1917, issuing revised distribution lists of Ananda Ranga Pillai's Diary, Reprints of Records of Fort St. George and the Madras Quarterly Civil List. July 6, No. 380 (G)

Addenda and corrigenda to Irrigation Manual, Volume II.—Recording letter from the Government of Bengal, No. 1529-1, dated 7th June 1917, forwarding copies of —. July 6, No. 381 (G)

Index map of the Madras Presidency corrected up to 31st December 1916.—Acknowledging receipt of the — showing the catchment areas of projects, rainfall and river gauge stations returned by the Government of India. July 7, Nos. 281-82 I. (B)

"*Land Revenue Policy of the Indian Government.*"—Recording G.O. Mis. No. 1258, Revenue, dated 1st May 1917, distributing to the Board of Revenue and the departments of the Secretariat copies of the complete edition of the — received from the Government of India. July 7, No. 385 (G)

PUBLICATIONS--*cont.*

Review of Irrigation in India in 1915-16.—Communicating to the officers concerned the —. July 11, No. 289 I. (B)

Printing of official publications in England.—Recording G.O. No. 421, Financial, dated 25th June 1917, recording letter from the Government of India, Department of Education, No. 73, dated 12th June 1917, forwarding extract of despatch from the Secretary of State, No. 4, Public (Records), dated 2nd April 1917, directing that printing and publication of works in England should be understood to apply to the preparation of plates, maps, etc. July 16, No. 400 (G)

Spare copies of certain reports.- Recording G.O. No. 1014, Home (Miscellaneous), dated 30th August 1917, recording letter from the Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 9195, dated 7th August 1917, forwarding a statement showing the number of — required in future by them. September 3, No 506 (G)

Waterways in Bengal, their economic value and methods employed for their improvement.—Returning -- to the Government of India. October 8, No. 560 (G)

Spare copies of Government Orders issued in the Home Department.—Recording G.O. No. 1068, Home (Miscellaneous), dated 18th September 1917, issuing a distribution list of —. October 15, No. 589 (G)

Self-recording instruments under test at the gauge at the left flank of the Cauvery Anicut.—Informing the Government of Bengal that report on the — is due at the end of the Irrigation season and will be issued in March next. October 29, No. 622 (G)

Books and publications.—Recording G.Os. Nos. 82, 82 A, Local and Municipal (Legislative), dated 24th September 1917, issuing a distribution list of — pertaining to the Legislative Department of the Government of India and this Government. November 6, No. 633 (G)

History of the Buckingham canal project.—Recording correspondence regarding sending of the — to the Hon'ble Mr. K. Chidambaranatha Mudaliyar and its being returned. November 7, No. 636 (G)

Number of Government Orders to be printed.—Recording G.O. No. 3252, Revenue, dated 13th October 1917, ordering certain modifications in regard to the — for record in the Revenue Secretariat and for communication to other departments. November 19, No. 657 (G)

Bihar and Orissa Irrigation Manual.—Recording letter from Secretary to Government of Bihar and Orissa, Public Works Department, forwarding correction slips to be posted in the —. November 30, No. 676 (G)

Technical papers contributed by officers subordinate to local Governments.—Recording G.O. Mis. No. 1494 W., dated 22nd November 1917, recording letter from Government of India, Public Works Department, regarding the procedure to be adopted in future for the issue of —. November 30, No. 678 (G)

66 | *Kannambadi project.*—Recording cutting from the *New India*, Madras, dated 29th November 1917, regarding the —. December 3, No. 683 (G)

Administration reports of Public Works Department (Irrigation).—Forwarding to the Registrar, University of Allahabad, one copy each of -- for the years 1905-1906 to 1914-1915. December 10, No. 705 (G)

REGULATORS.

Manamutti Regulator across the Tirumalrajan, Tanjore district.—Informing the Collector of Tanjore that there is no objection to the postponement of the laying out of shutters for the —. January 19, No. 24 I. (B)

Improvements to the Nagavalli Head works, Vizagapatam district.—Informing the Government of India that the cost of the revetment displaced by the floods was too small to be charged to the Revenue account of the Nagavalli system. January 20, No. 35 (G)

Regulator across the Korayar in Veeranvayal limits, Cauvery Delta system.—Communicating to the officers concerned, with remarks, the sanction of the Government of India to the estimate of Rs. 41,771 for constructing a —, Vennār division. February 3, No. 52 I. (A)

Improvements to the Nagavalli regulator, Ganjām district.—Informing the Government of India that no fresh acquisition of land is required in connexion with the —. February 22, No. 103 (G)

Construction of a regulator across the Shullanar in Avichagudi village, Papanasam taluk, Tanjore district.—Sanctioning the — as a full contribution work. March 19, No. 114 I. (A)

Regulator at the head of the Dubbu kalva, Gōdāvari Northern division.—Stating that the construction by the Raja of Pithapuram of a — should not be permitted unless he agrees to certain conditions. March 23, No. 124 I. (A)

Lock and regulator at 7 miles 2 furlongs 460 feet of the Kakaraparru canal, Gōdāvari Western delta.—Communicating to the officers concerned the sanction of the Government of India to the estimate of Rs. 53,923 for constructing a —. March 30, No. 138 I. (A)

REGULATORS—*cont.*

Regulator across the Korayar at Gopalasamudram bridge, Tanjore district.—Recording papers connected with question No. 80 (original No. 78) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on 22nd May 1917 regarding the construction of a — and the answer given thereto. June 21, No. 248 I. (B)

Converting the Tirumachiyur dam across the Vanjiar into a regulator, Cauvery delta system.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 1,550 for —. August 15, No. 340 I (B)

Nallatur regulator across the Nandalar, Tanjore district.—Recording papers connected with the arrangements made with the General Superintendent, Public Works Department Workshops, Madras, for the supply to the French Government at Pondicherry of shutters required for the contruction of the —. August 17, No. 467 (G)

Conversion of the Nallatur dam across the Nandalar into a regulator, Cauvery delta system.—Addressing the Governor of the French Settlements in India and informing him that the Accountant-General has been authorised to place at the disposal of the French Government the portion of the cost for the — due by this Government. September 5, Nos. 371–72 I. (A)

Lock and regulator at mile 7–2–460 of the Kakarraparru canal, Godavari Western delta.—Communicating to the officers concerned letter from the Government of India approving of the commencement, during next financial year, of work on the construction of a —. November 20, No. 484 I. (B)

RENTS.

Data statement for calculation of rent.—Approving the — for the No. II Subdivisional officer's and Section officer's quarters, Toludur project, South Arcot district. March 21, No. 121 I. (B)

Rent.—According sanction to the recovery of — at the rate of Rs. 2–8–0 per mensem for the occupation of the engine driver's quarters — a temporary structure at Mopad. May 30, No. 216 I. (B)

Inspection bungalow at Ramapatam, Chingleput division.—Approving, with remarks, the data statement for calculating rent for the —. June 11, No. 231 I. (B)

Rent.—Approving, with remarks, the data statement for calculating the — for the Subdivisional officer's quarters at Bezwada, Kistna Eastern division. June 15, No. 237 I. (B)

Sub-letting of residences.—Recording G.O. No. 655 W., dated 16th May 1917, directing that the — permitted in paragraph 3 of G.O. No. 811 W., dated 26th May 1916, should be subject to the condition that the rent to be charged by the officer to his tenant should not, except with the sanction of Government, exceed the rent paid by the officer to Government. June 25, No. 352 (G)

Rent.—Approving the data statement for the calculation of — for the portion of the lock lascars' quarters occupied by the sub-overseer at Komatigunta, Kistna Eastern division. July 6, No. 279 I. (B)

Rent.—Approving the data statement for the calculation of — for the driver's quarters at Siddapur, Kurnool division. July 6, No. 280 I. (B)

Rent.—Approving the data statements for the calculation of — for the residences of the Executive Engineer, Kistna Eastern division, and of the Assistant Engineer at Bezwada. July 18, No. 296 I. (B)

Telephone rent bill.—Returning to the Superintendent, Telegraphic Engineering, Trichinopoly division, duly accepted the — for shifting the table telephone of the Head Clerk, Ootacamund office. August 4, No 438 (G).

Fishery rentals of the Markapur tank, Kurnool division, during 1916.—Recording endorsement of the Superintending Engineer, III Circle, communicating copy of the letter of the Executive Engineer, Kurnool division, explaining the cause of the low bid regarding the —. September 13, No. 529 (G)

Fishery rentals.—Communicating G.O. No. P. 3192, Revenue, dated 8th October 1917, directing the reduction of the fixed annual assignment paid to the Chingleput District Board in compensation for the loss of — in respect of Chembarambakkam and Madurantakam tanks of the Chingleput district. October 18, No. 605 (G)

Data statement for the calculation of rent for the Dam Superintendent's quarters at Periyar, Madura division.—Approving the —. October 25, No. 435 I. (B)

Data statement for calculation of rent for the quarters of the Assistant Mechanic at Divi, converted into Subdivisional officer's quarters, Kistna Central division.—Approving the —. November 6, No. 458 I. (B)

Staff boat No. 135, Gōdāvari head works division.—Approving the proposal to charge a monthly rent of Rs. 20 for the use of the —. December 1, No. 494 I. (B)

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Applications for exemption from payment of rent under paragraph 919, *rule II-b of the Public Works Department Code.*—Recording G.O. No. 1465 W., dated 17th November 1917, informing officers of the department that — should be carefully scrutinized and recommended to Government only in case the intention of the rule is satisfied. December 5, No. 693 (G)

Cauvery falls at Sivasamudram.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, G.O. No. 3718, Revenue, dated 22nd November 1917, recording letter from the Honourable the Resident in Mysore regarding payment of the amount due to this Government for the utilisation of the power generated at the — during 1915-16. December 15, No. 716 (G)

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Completion report for certain works of the Madura division.—Recording the —. January 6, No. 1 I. (R)

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"*Improvements to Pillai Voikal No.* 3, *Cauvery Delta System*".—Sanctioning the extension of the date of completion of the work — till 31st October 1917 and forwarding a copy of the Proceedings to the Government of India. January 16, Nos. 19-20 I. (B)

Converting the Eravakkadu dam across the Vellayar into a regulator, Vennar Division, Cauvery Delta System.—Recording the sanction accorded to the extension of the date of completion of the work — till 31st March 1917. January 16, No. 9 I. (R)

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Completion report for the work "constructing six sluices in the Yerur tank bund, Nellore division."—Recording the —. January 19, No. 13 I. (R)

Completion report for "Shifting the head of Koilpattu leading channel above Tirukaravayal syphon across the Vellayar, Cauvery Delta system and constructing a syphon sluice for the Tirukkaravayal channel.—Recording the —. January 25, No. 23 I. (R)

Completion report for "extending and improving the superpassage No. 2 *in the X Branch channel, Periyar system, at* 2 *miles* 3 *furlongs* 250 *feet, Madura division.*—Recording the —. January 26, No. 25 I. (R)

Completion report for the work "demarcating the lands taken up in the Hyderabad territory for the Kurnool-Cuddapah canal", Kurnool division.—Recording the —. February 1, No. 28 I. (R)

Date of completion.—Recording the sanction accorded by the Superintending Engineer, I Circle, to the extension of the — of the work "Fitting lift shutters to Gumsur anicut, Rushikulya system", to 31st October 1916. February 14, No. 43 I. (R)

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Completion reports for certain works in the Nagavalli project.—Recording, with remarks, the —. February 27, No. 71 I. (R)

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Completion report for the work "substituting earthenware pipes in place of palmyrah spouts on Manepalle channel," Gōdāvari Eastern division.—Recording the —. March 3, No. 82 I. (R)

Date of completion.—Recording the sanction accorded by the Superintending Engineer, I Circle, to the extension of the — to 31st November 1916 of the work "substituting earthenware pipes in place of palmyrah spouts in the Manepalle channel," Gōdāvari Eastern division. March 6, No. 86 I. (R)

Completion report for the work "Constructing head sluices at the heads of minor channels of Veeranam channels from the Shullaner," Cauvery Delta System.—Recording the —. March 7, No. 87 I. (R)

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Completion report for "Establishment required for taking float observations in the Malumpoza river," West Coast division.—Recording the —. March 13, No. 99 I. (R)

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Completion report for "providing a third oil tank for the Divi Pumping Station," Kistna Central division.—Recording the —. March 14, No. 102 I. (R)

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Completion report for "Improvements to the Sookanmoy," Periyar system.—Recording the revised —. March 22, No. 119 I. (R)

Completion report for reconstructing bridge No. 1 across the West Coast canal.—Recording with remarks the —. March 22, No. 121 I. (R)

Date of completion.—Recording the sanction accorded by the Superintending Engineer, I Circle, to the extension of the — of the work "constructing quarters with outhouses for the Sub-divisional officer at Gannavaram" to 31st December 1917. March 28, No. 126 I. (R)

Date of completion.—Sanctioning the extension up to 30th June 1917 of the — of the work "protecting with steel sheet piles the lower margin of the impervious apron below the Dowlaishwaram head-sluice and constructing a retaining wall on the right side of the main canal below the headsluice, Gōdāvari Head-Works division." April 2, No. 134 I. (R)

Completion report for "reconstructing the high and low level sluices in the Karnavur tank," Palar Anicut System, North Arcot division.—Recording the —. April 12, No. 141 I. (R)

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Date of completion.—Recording the sanction accorded by the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, to the extension of the — of certain works in the Kistna Eastern division. April 18, No. 146 I. (R)

Completion report.—Recording the — for the work "improvements and repairs to the Marudur Nattuvoikal," Trichinopoly division. April 24, No. 157 I. (R)

Completion report.—Recording the — for the work "constructing an outfall sluice at 3/5 mile of Cauvery flood bank in Kodumudi limits," Trichinopoly division. April 24, No. 158 I. (R)

Extension and improvements to the Padinettangudi tank, Melur taluk, Madura district.—Recording the completion report for the work. May 4, No. 164 I. (R)

Diversion of the Bhimarru drain, Kistna Eastern division.—Recording the revised completion report for the work. May 4, No. 165 I. (R)

Completion report.—Recording the — for the works "excavating a drain from the under-tunnel on the Mailavolu main channel to the Isukacodu" and "improving the Kotameraka Codu,' Kistna Eastern division. May 7, No. 166 I. (R)

Completion report for the works "improvements to masonry works and portions of channels to be abandoned in re-modelling Chinchinada channel" and "acquiring land and trees for the road-way on the right of main canal", Gōdāvari Western division.—Recording the —. May 7, No. 167 I. (R)

Extension of dates of completion.—According sanction to the — of the work "Constructing a steam launch to replace 'Shamrock'", Gōdāvari Head-Works division, and forwarding a copy of the proceedings to the Government of India. May 11, Nos. 185–186 I. (B)

Completion report.—Recording the — for the work "raising a portion of road No. I Musiri-Salem Road between 20 and 20½ miles, Trichinopoly division." May 17, No. 181 I. (R)

Completion report.—Recording, with remarks, the — for the work "Constructing a steam launch to replace 'Shamrock'", Gōdāvari Head-Works division. May 21. No. 189 I. (R)

Extension of the date of completion.—Sanctioning the — of the work "Restoring the Bezwada Head-works." May 24, Nos. 203–204 I. (B)

Completion report.—Recording the — for the work "replacing the rotten wooden railings of the rain-gauge at Kesapuram with corrugated iron railings", Cuddapah division. May 30, No. 195 I. (R)

Converting the Eravakadu dam across the Vellayar into a regulator and constructing sheds for two lascars and a store-shed at the Umbalacheri regulator.—Recording the completion reports for the works of —. June 2, No. 197 I. (R)

Fixing pipes in Tossipudi north-side channel system, Gōdāvari Eastern division.—Recording the sanction accorded to the extension of the date of completion of the work — till 31st December 1917. June 2, No. 198 I. (R)

Completion report.—Recording the — for the work "Raising the Divi right flood-bank" from 14 miles 0 chain to 18 miles 1 chain, Kistna Central division. June 7, No. 199 I. (R)

Completion report.—Recording the — for the works "Purchasing surgical appliances for the Toludur dispensary" and "Repairs and Carriage of Tools and Plant" in Toludur project division from January 1914 to end of December 1916. June 8, No. 200 I. (R)

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Improvements to the drainage below the Red Hills tank.—Recording the sanction accorded to the extension of the date of completion of the work — till 31st October 1917.
June 11, No. 205 I. (R)

Completion report.—Recording the — for the work "constructing two foot-bridges across the Kistna-Ellore canal at 38/2 and 38/7", Gōdāvari Western division. June 11, No. 206 I. (R)

Completion report.—Recording, with remarks, the — for the work "providing shutters to the under-sluices of the Dummagudem anicut", Gōdāvari Northern division.
June 23, No. 210 I. (R)

Extension of the date of completion.—Recording the sanction accorded to the — of the work "Improvements to the Thollagunta vagu drain, Pennar river canals system."
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Completion report.—Recording the revised — for the work "constructing an outfall sluice at 3/5 mile, Cauvery flood bank, Trichinopoly division."
July 5, No. 220 I (R)

Completion report.—Recording, with remarks, the — for certain works of the Mopad project, Nellore division.
July 5, No. 221 I. (R)

Completion report.—Recording, with remarks, the — for certain works of the Maidkur project, Cuddapah division.
July 5, No. 222 I. (R)

Completion Report.—Recording the — for the work "Improvements to the Sriranganatham, Pudukulam tank, Marudur voikal channel, Tinnevelly division."
July 5, No. 223 I. (R)

Completion Report.—Recording, with remarks, the — for the work "Diverting the Coleroon right bank below 100/4 mile in Kattur limits and constructing a drainage sluice," Cauvery Delta System.
July 5, No. 224 I. (R)

Completion report.—Recording the — for the work "fixing pipes in Tapeswaram south side channel and its branches," Gōdāvari Eastern division
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Completion report.—Recording the — for the work "improvements to the Mela Sevalai Tank," Marudur anicut system, Trichinopoly division.
July 11, No. 235 I (R)

Extension of the date of completion.—Recording the sanction accorded by the Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, for the — of the work "improvements to the Sookanmai and to the Padinettangudi kanmai, Periyar system."
July 24, No. 305 I. (B).

Date of completion. According sanction to the extension of the date of completion till 31st March 1918 of the work "improvements to the Peranai regulator, Periyar system."
July 24, Nos. 306–307 I. (B).

Date of completion.—Sanctioning the extension up to 31st December 1917 of the — of the work "protecting with steel sheet piles the lower margin of the impervious apron below the Dowlaishwaram head-sluice and constructing a retaining wall on the right side of the main canal below the head-sluice," Gōdāvari Head-Works division.
July 24, Nos. 308–09 I. (B).

Completion report for the work "raising, widening and gravelling the road No. 5 of the Cauvery left bank, Trichinopoly division."—Recording the —.
July 30, No. 258 I. (R)

Completion report for the work "constructing a regulator across the North Main channel, Srivaikuntam anicut system."—Recording the —.
August 1, No. 261 I. (R)

Completion report for certain works of the Chepaud project, Cuddapah division.—Recording, with remarks, the —.
August 1, No. 263 I. (R)

Extension of the date of completion.—Sanctioning the — of the works "improvements to the Yenamadorru drain" and "re-modelling the Chinchinada channel", Gōdāvari Western division, up to 30th June 1919 and 30th September 1918, respectively.
August 6, Nos. 327–28 I. (B)

Extension of the date of completion.—Recording the sanction accorded to the — of the work "improvements to the Razole channel, Gōdāvari Conservancy division," up to 30th September 1917 and sanctioning the — of the work "improvements to the mouth of the Tuliabhaga drain" up to 31st July 1918.
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Completion report.—Recording the — for the work "converting the Eravakadu dam across the Vellayar into a regulator," Cauvery Delta system.
August 8, No. 272 I. (R).

Completion report.—Recording the — for the work "raising and widening the Nandalar right bank from Road No. 35 to Kuthanur channel dividing dam," Cauvery Delta system.
August 8, No. 273 I. (R)

Completion report.—Recording the — for certain works of the proposed (but abandoned) Appapuram project, Kistna Western division.
August 11, No. 276 I. (R).

Completion report.—Recording the — for the work "constructing two regulators in place of mud dams across the Marakakorayar", Cauvery delta system.
August 13, No. 289 I. (R)

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Completion report.—Recording the — for the work "rebuilding the collapsed portion of Boddapad dam, Pulleru canal, Kistna Eastern division." August 13, No. 290 I. (R)

Date of completion.—Recording the sanction accorded by the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, to the extension of the — of certain works in the Gōdāvari Western division. August 17, No. 341 I. (B)

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Extension of the date of completion.—Sanctioning the — for the work "improvements to the Attur-Keeranur tank, Srīvaikuntam anicut system," up to 30th September 1919. August 20, Nos. 348–49 I. (B)

Extension of the date of completion.—Recording the sanction accorded by the Superintending Engineer, VII Circle, to the — of certain works in the Cauvery and Vennar divisions and sanctioning the — of the work "improvements to the tail-end of the Vellappar" to 31st March 1918. August 22, Nos. 350–51 I. (B)

Extension of the date of completion.—Sanctioning the — of the works "improvements to the Manniar" and "improvements to the Vellapallam Uppanar," Cauvery Delta system, sanctioned in G.Os. No. 528 I., dated 10th September 1913 and No. 596 I., dated 24th October 1913, respectively. August 27, Nos. 354–55 I. (B)

Completion report for the work "Constructing an inspection bungalow at Polukonda, Kistna Eastern division."—Recording the —. September 6, No. 317 I. (R)

Completion report for the work "Improvements to the Sukkan Kanmoy," Periyar system.—Recording the —. September 10, No. 326 I. (R)

Completion report.—Recording the — for the work "improvements to the aqueduct at 1 mile 6 furlongs of the Mahanadi canal," Rushikulya system, Ganjām division. September 12, No. 330 I. (R)

Completion report.—Recording the — for the work "improvements to the Tollaguntavagu drain" Penner river canals system, Nellore division. September 12, No. 331 I. (R)

Completion report.—Recording the — for the work "converting the Vadagarai dam across the Manjalar into a regulator," Cauvery Delta system, sanctioned in G.O. No. 50 I., dated 26th January 1915. September 17, No. 338 I. (R)

Completion report.—Recording, with remarks, the — for certain works of the Ukkayapalli project, Cuddapah division. September 17, No. 339 I. (R)

Completion reports.—Recording the — for the works "constructing a rough stone ramp at 0 mile 4 furlongs 115 feet of the third branch channel" and "constructing a rough stone ramp at 0 mile 5 furlongs 252 feet of the fourth branch channel", Nagavalli project, Vizagapatam division. September 19, No. 343 I. (R)

Completion report for the work "Reconstructing a common head-sluice for, and excavating leading channels in front and rear of, the Puduraman and Palayaraman Kottagam channels in the right bank of the Pamaniyar, 'Cauvery Delta system'."—Recording the —. October 4, No. 359 I. (R)

Completion report for the work "Improvements to the Wadada channel, Chicacole taluk, Ganjām district."—Recording the —. October 4, No. 360 I. (R)

Revised completion report for the work "providing shutters to the under-sluices of the Dummagudem anicut, Gōdāvari Northern division."—Recording the —. October 8, No. 369 I. (R)

Extension of the date of completion of the work "constructing a rough stone kondan across the Kaveripauk tank supply channel near Sumaithangi sluice and excavating a field-channel therefrom."—Recording sanction of the Superintending Engineer to the —. October 10, No. 373 I. (R)

Extension of the date of completion of the work "excavating Utukur drain," Kistna Eastern division, sanctioned in G.O. No. 287 I., dated 20th May 1913 to 31st March 1917.—Recording the sanction accorded by the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, to the —. October 10, No. 374 I. (R)

Completion reports for certain works of the Maidkur and Chepad projects, Cuddapah district.—Recording the —. October 16, No. 383 I. (R)

Completion report for the work "Constructing an undertunnel at 17/6 of Dosapad channel, Ryves canal, Kistna Eastern division."—Recording the —. October 18, No. 385 I. (R)

Completion report for raising the Divi left flood-bank from 3/0 to 15/0, Kistna Central division.—Recording the —. October 18, No. 387 I. (R)

Completion report for certain works (items Nos. 51, 53, 54, 57, 58, 66, 73, 74 *and* 75 *in the fourth Deviation Statement) of the Mopad project, Nellore district.*—Recording, with remarks, the —. October 18, No. 388 I. (R)

Completion report of the Appapuram drainage scheme, Kistna delta system.—Recording the —. October 18, No. 389 I. (R)

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Completion report of the work "Utukur drain, Kistna Eastern division."—Recording the —. October 18, No. 390 I. (R)

Completion report of the work "Constructing an undertunnel across the Adaichani supply channel, Tinnevelly division."—Recording the —. October 18, No. 391 I. (R)

Extension of the date of completion of the work "excavating a new approach channel to Bobberlanka head-lock and head-sluice, Gōdāvari Head-Works division."—According sanction to the — till 31st December 1918. October 18, No. 392 I. (R)

Extension of the date of completion of the works "Excavating a new approach channel to Bobberlanka head-sluice and head-lock."—Communicating to the Government of India a copy of order sanctioning the —. October 18, No. 393 I. (R)

Completion report of the work "Repair and improvements to No. 4 Sivalperi tank and supply channel" Tenkasi taluk, Tinnevelly district.—Recording the —. October 20, No. 394 I. (R)

Extension of the date of completion of the work "Improvements to the distributary channel from the Gurzala tank, Guntūr district, till 31st July 1917.—Recording sanction accorded by the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, for the —. October 23, No. 399 I. (R)

Completion report for "Diverting the Sakinetipalli weir channel, Gōdāvari Conservancy division."—Recording the revised —. November 14, No. 417 I. (R)

Completion report for "Diverting the left flood bank of Vasishta at Sakinetipalli from 49—4·537 to 49—5·180, Gōdāvari Conservancy division.—Recording the revised —. November 14, No. 419 I. (R)

Completion report for constructing bridge No. 3 at 9-2-0 (item 72 in the fourth deviation statement), Mopad project, Nellore district.—Recording, with remarks, the —. November 21, No. 433 I. (R)

Completion report for constructing two mild steel ferry ballacuts at crossings on canals in the Gōdāvari Western division.—Recording the —. November 26, No. 441 I. (R)

Completion report for "Improvements to Padinettangudi Kanmoy, Periyar system."—Recording the —. November 26, No. 442 I. (R)

Completion report for constructing a supplemental aqueduct and undertunnel to carry the Vellatur channel across the Bhattiprole drain and widening the drain, Kistna Western division.—Recording the —. November 26, No. 443 I. (R)

Completion report for the work "reconstructing a flight of steps at Anaparti crossing at 12/5 of the Cocanada canal, Gōdāvari Eastern division."—Recording the —. November 29, No. 447 I. (R)

Completion report for the work "constructing an inspection bungalow at Tittagudi, Toludur project".—Recording the revised —. December 4, No. 451 I. (R)

Completion report for "constructing a rough stone ramp at 2-5-335 of the II branch channel and 1-7-535 of the VI branch channel, Nagavalli project, Vizagapatam district."—Recording the —. December 5, No. 452 I. (R)

Completion report for constructing pipe sluices No. 1 and 2 distributary of Maidkur channel, Maidkur project, Cuddapah division—Recording the —. December 13, No. 458 I. (R)

REPORTS—GENERAL.

Administration Report of the Public Works Department, Irrigation Branch, for 1915-16.—Reviewing the —. January 15, Nos. 14-15 I. (A)

Administration Report.—Forwarding copies of the — the Public Works Department, Part II, Irrigation, for the year 1915-16. February 8, No. 78 (G)

Administration Report.—Forwarding to the Librarian, United States, Department of Agriculture Library, Washington, a copy each of the Public Works Department— for the years 1903-04 to 1915-1916. February 28, No. 111 (G)

Reduction in the number of copies of Administration Report supplied to Public Works Department (General).—Recording note from the Registrar, Public Works Department, stating that one copy of the Irrigation Administration Report is sufficient. March 1, No. 118 (G)

Administration Report of the Irrigation Branch, United Provinces, for the year ending 31st March 1916—Recording letter from the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, Irrigation Branch, United Provinces, forwarding two copies of —. March 1, No. 119 (G)

Administration Report of the Irrigation Department, Punjab, for the year 1915-16.—Acknowledging receipt of eight copies of the — and also stating that it will be sufficient if two copies are sent in future. March 2, No. 123 (G)

Public Service Commission report.—Recording Public Works Department Memorandum No. 1066-C., dated 12th February 1917, forwarding a copy of the —. March 2, No. 127 (G)

REPORTS—GENERAL—*cont.*

Administration Report.—Recording G.O. No. 95, Financial, dated 15th February 1917, recording correspondence with the Accountant-General on the suggestion that the section dealing with Imperial revenues in the chapters relating to Finance in the — of the Madras Presidency should deal only with wholly Imperial heads and with Imperial portion of Divided Heads of account. March 2, No. 129 (G)

Annual report on the Irawady embankments, Burma.—Supplying copies of the — for the year 1915-16 to the officers concerned. March 5, No. 85 I. (R)

Decrease in the area irrigated under the Kistna delta system during 1914-15.—Recording the correspondence showing the —. March 23, No. 184 (G)

Administration Report of the Salt and Abkari Revenue.—Recording G.O. No. 335, Financial, dated 15th March 1917, passing orders on the question of the reduction in the number of copies of the — supplied to officers of Government and other provinces. March 28, No. 193 (G)

Divi Pumping Project, Kistna district.—Approving the report on the closure of the construction estimate of the — and ordering that a copy of the proceedings be forwarded to the Government of India together with the report and index map. April 3, Nos. 143-44 I. (A)

Report on the self-recording instruments under test at the gauge on the left bank of the Cauvery at the Upper Anicut.—Informing the Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department, that the Chief Engineer for Irrigation hopes to submit a — at the end of next irrigation season. April 12, No. 207 (G)

Irrigation Works in Tiruppattūr Subdivision damaged by the cyclone of October 1916.—Recording the report of the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, on the —. May 9, No. 250 (G)

Presidency Administration Report.—Recording G.O. No. 312, Home (Miscellaneous), dated 28th March 1917, revising the appendices to G.O. No. 1029, Public, dated 21st August 1914, relating to the submission of departmental reports for the preparation of the —. May 21, No. 267 (G)

Working of the Enamakkal dam, Malabar district.—Recording the report on the — for the year 1916-17. June 23, No. 350 (G)

Enamakkal dam, Malabar district.—Recording the Superintending Engineer's report on the working of the — during 1916-17. July 6, No. 377 (G)

Conservancy operations in the Gōdāvari river.—Recording the report of the Conservator, Gōdāvari, on the — during 1915-16 and the subsequent correspondence connected with it regarding the interference by the Collector in the Conservator's work of removing nanal. August 30, No. 363 I. (B)

Appropriation report.—Recording G.O. No. 549, Financial, dated 17th August 1917, approving the proposal of the Accountant-General to dispense with the submission to Government of the preliminary edition of the —; directing that a list of financial irregularities which will appear in the final edition be submitted to Government on the 5th October; and requesting the Accountant-General to report each item of irregularity as soon as it is noticed by him. September 13, No. 527 (G)

Report on the audit and inspection of the Government Press and its branches for 1914-15 *and* 1915-16.—Recording G.O. No. 524, Financial, dated 6th August 1917, recording, with remarks, the —. September 28, No. 544 (G)

Extension of the date of completion of the work of extending the rough stone aprons in rear of the scouring sluices at Goomsur anicut, Rushikulya system, Ganjam district.—Recording the sanction accorded to — till 31st March 1918. November 10, No. 414 I. (R)

Extension of the date of completion of the work "Acquiring land in the east bank of Buckingham canal between 121/7 *and Pyderu south lock, Chingleput division".*—Recording sanction accorded by the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, to the — till 31st March 1919. November 12, No. 416 I. (R)

Agricultural Department.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, III Circle, G.O. Mis. No. 3730, Revenue, dated 23rd November 1917, authorizing the Director of Agriculture to get the required number of copies of Mr. Tampoe's Report on Agricultural practices in the Godavari Western delta printed at Government Press, Madras —. November 28, No. 669 (G)

Report on the investigation of agricultural practices in the Godavari Western delta.—Recording papers connected with the —. November 30, No. 679 (G)

Extension of the date of completion of the work "improvements to the Manniar Road between six vents surplus on the Cauvery and four vents surplus on the Coleroon, Cauvery delta system".—Sanctioning the — from 30th September 1917 to 31st January 1918, and sending a copy of the Proceedings to the Government of India. December 7, Nos. 453-54 I. (R)

Mopad project, Nellore district.—Recording, with remarks, the report on the system of paying advances, etc., on the — for the period ending 30th September 1917. December 17, No. 519 I. (B)

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Irrigation works.—Forwarding to the Government of India a statement showing the probable revenue from and expenditure on — during 1916-17 and 1917-18.
January 10, Nos. 9-10 I. (A)

Statement showing the financial position of the Productive Irrigation works in the course of construction.—Forwarding to the Government of India the — for the first half of the year 1917-18.
January 31, Nos. 39-40 I. (A)

Rain and river gauge stations for projects likely to be executed during the 20 *years commencing from* 1916-17.—Ordering that an index map of the Madras Presidency corrected up to 31st December 1916 showing the — together with a tabular statement of the same and a note by the Chief Engineer for Irrigation thereon be forwarded to the Government of India.
February 2, Nos. 49-50 I. (A)

Restoration of the Kanniyampalaiyam anicut, Coimbatore division.—Approving a deviation statement for the —.
March 22, No. 122 I. (B)

Assignment of land and land revenue.—Recording G.O. No. 109, Revenue, dated 16th January 1917, regarding a monthly return of cases of — prescribed by the Government of India for submission to audit officers.
March 26, No. 190 (G)

Vedāranniyam canal, Tanjore district.—Requesting the Accountant-General, Madras, to insert in future foot-notes in C.I. statement specifying the share borne by the Tanjore District Board in the maintenance of the —.
May 1, No. 229 (G)

Floating plant.—Directing that the return relating to — prescribed in G.O. No. 142 I., dated 27th February 1913, be replaced by a statement showing the cost of repairs done to it during the past year.
May 29, No. 214 I. (A)

Return of sanctions.—Recording memorandum No. 1339-A/17-1, Revenue, dated 13th June 1917, requesting departments of the Secretariat to forward to the Revenue Department, by the 20th of each month, a list of sanctions accorded by them during the previous month under clauses 9 and 9 (*a*) and (*b*) of rule III in the Government of India, Finance Department's resolution No. 368 Gl. (E.A.), dated 15th March 1913, as subsequently amended.
July 9, No. 388 (G)

Statement showing the financial position of the productive irrigation works in the course of construction.—Forwarding to the Government of India the — for the second half of the year 1917-18.
July 25, Nos. 311-312 I. (B)

Programme of outlay on productive irrigation works for 1918-19.—Approving the — as drawn up by the Chief Engineer for Irrigation and ordering that it be sent to the Government of India.
August 6, Nos. 324-25 I. (A)

*Demands for incomplete and new works under "*49.*"*—Passing orders on the Superintending Engineer's statements of — and also surrenders under the head and ordering that a copy of the proceedings be forwarded to the Government of India.
August 11, Nos. 336-37 I. (B)

Statement of items held under objection, VI Circle, for the period ending 31st March 1917.—Passing orders on the —.
September 1, No. 308 I. (R)

Statement of items held under objection, IV Circle, for the period ending 31st March 1917.—Passing orders on the —.
September 1, No. 309 I. (R)

Statement of objectionable items, VII Circle, for the period ending 31st March 1917.—Passing orders on the —.
September 3, No. 311 I. (R)

Minor Works, Public Works Department, Salem district.—Approving an alteration to be made in the revised list of — in regard to the Konnayur anicut channel.
September 6, No. 373 I. (B)

Statement of objectionable items, II Circle, for the period ending 31st March 1917.—Passing orders on the —.
September 6, No. 318 I. (R)

Capital and revenue accounts of residential buildings Pertaining to irrigation in the Madras Presidency during the year 1916-17.—Recording the report and the review on the financial results of the — and ordering that a copy of the proceedings be forwarded to the Government of India.
September 11, Nos. 376-77 I. (A)

Data statement for the calculation of rent of the inspection bungalow at Avanigedda, Kistna Central division.—Approving the —.
September 11, No. 378 I. (B)

Statements of objectionable items, III Circle, for the period ending 31st March 1917.—Passing orders on the —.
September 11, No. 328 I. (R)

Statement of objectionable items, I Circle, for the period ending 31st March 1917.—Passing orders on the —.
September 11, No. 329 I. (R)

Floating plant of the Vēdāranniyam canal, Vennār division.—Recording the statement showing the expenditure incurred on repairs to the — during 1916-17.
September 22, No. 394 I. (B)

Precarious sources of irrigation.—Communicating to the officers concerned G.O. No. 2854, Revenue, dated 13th September 1917, recording, with remarks, Board's Proceedings submitting a list of — in the districts of Kurnool, Cuddapah and Chittoor and in the Kadiri taluk of the Anantapur district.
September 25, No. 540 (G)

RETURNS AND STATEMENTS—*cont.*

Floating plant of the Buckingham Canal, Chingleput Division.—Recording statement showing the expenditure incurred on the repairs to the —, during 1916–17. October 8, No. 411 I. (B)

Financial statements for 1917–18.—Recording the notes reviewing the —. October 8, No. 566 (G)

Financial results of irrigation and navigation.—Recording Government of India's endorsement, Public Works Department, stating that only one copy of the statement relating to the — need be supplied to that department in future. October 11, No. 584 (G)

Financial results of irrigation and navigation works.—Approving and forwarding to the Government of India the statement showing the —. October 25, Nos. 401–402 I. (R)

Return of expenditure on stores.—Recording Public Works Department Memorandum No. 6501 C., dated 19th October 1917, recording G.O. No. 589, Financial, dated 7th September 1917, directing the despatch of a letter to the Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry (Stores), forwarding two statements, one showing the expenditure on stores purchased locally by the several departments of this Government during 1916–17 and the other explaining important variations in the current year as compared with the figures of the last year. October 29, No. 624 (G)

Staff boat, Vēdāranniyam canal.—Recording the statement showing the working of the — during 1916–17. October 31, No. 447 I. (B)

Statement showing the financial results of irrigation and navigation works.—Recording endorsement from the Government of India, No. 588 I., dated 26th October 1917, stating that the printing and distribution of the — might be discontinued in view of the scarcity of paper owing to the war. November 9, No. 641 (G)

Staff boat of the Buckingham canal.—Recording the statement showing the working of the — up to the end of 1916–17. November 14, No. 466 I. (B)

Staff boat of the Kurnool-Cuddapah canal.—Recording the statement showing the working of the — up to the end of 1916–17. November 14, No. 467 I. (B)

Staff boat of the Kistna Delta system.—Recording the statement showing the working of the — up to the end of 1916–17. November 14, No. 468 I. (B)

Navigation receipts and charges of the Gōdāvari Delta canals in the Gōdāvari Western division.—Recording the statement showing the — for 1916–17. November 15, No. 469 I. (B)

Navigation receipts and charges of Gōdāvari canals in the I Circle.—Recording statement showing the —, 1916–17. November 15, No. 475 I. (B)

Sixmonthly estimates for 1917–18.—Forwarding to the Government of India a copy of the proceedings reviewing the Accountant-General's —. November 16, Nos. 421–22 I. (R)

Schedule of demands under "49".—Forwarding to the Government of India the — for expenditure during 1918–19. November 16, Nos. 479–80 I. (A)

Schedule of demands under "35. Construction of Protective Irrigation works."—Forwarding to the Government of India the — for expenditure during 1918–19. November 16, Nos. 481–82 I. (A)

Statement showing the cost of repairs to the floating plant of the Gōdāvari Western division during 1916–17.—Recording with remarks the —. November 16, No. 483 I. (B)

Floating plant in the Kurnool-Cuddapah canal.—Recording the statement showing the cost of repairs done to the — during 1916–17. November 23, No. 488 I. (B)

Floating plant.—Recording with remarks the statement showing the cost of repairs done to the — of the Kistna Delta and Divi Pumping systems during 1916–17. November 29, No. 490 I. (B)

Administrative accounts for 1916–17.—Forwarding to the Government of India copies of the —. December 13, Nos. 456–57 I. (R)

Annual review of Irrigation works in India.—Forwarding to the Government of India a copy of their — for 1915–16 corrected so as to suit the review for 1916–1917. December 15, Nos. 459–60 I. (R)

Review of grant and outlay on Irrigation works in the Madras Presidency during 1916–17.—Forwarding to the Government of India copy of the proceedings approving the — submitted by the Chief Engineer for Irrigation. December 15, Nos. 515–16 I. (A)

Staff boats of the Gōdāvari delta system, I Circle.—Recording the statement showing the working of the — for the year 1916–17. December 18, No. 521 I. (B)

Irrigation and rainfall in the Madras Presidency.—Directing that the statistical statement III-E and IV-E. for the Agricultural year ending 30th June 1917, received from the Board of Revenue be forwarded to the Government of India. December 20, Nos. 470–71 I. (R)

Irrigation statistics.—Forwarding to the Government of India the statements showing the lengths of main and branch canals and distributaries, the cultivable area commanded and the area irrigated during 1916–17 and the probables for 1917–18. December 22, Nos. 525–26 I. (A)

RIVERS.

Bathing ghat.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 1,900 for constructing a — between 33¼ and 33½ Bench Marks on the right bank of the Cauvery in Palur limits, Trichinopoly district.
January 5, No. 1 I. (A)

Breach in the southern bank of the Arasilar, Cauvery delta system.—Requesting the Superintending Engineer, VII Circle, to see that the — which occurred 2 years back is closed before the end of April 1917 without failure.
January 16, No. 28 (G)

River Conservancy Act VI of 1884.—Directing that, in partial modification of orders issued in G.O. No. 72 I., dated 18th January 1906, the revenue survey boundaries between the Kistna and Guntūr districts be adopted for the Kistna River Conservancy administration.
March 12, No. 104 I. (A)

Improvements to the Nellikuppam jungle stream and the southern channel of the Poiney Anicut system.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 10,171 for —. May 31, No. 217 I. (A)

Mysore-Madras Cauvery Arbitration—Forwarding to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore for communication to the Mysore Darbar, copies of the despatches of this Government to the Secretary of State for India regarding the —. September 19, Nos. 386–87 I. (A)

Nileshwar river.—Returning to the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, the survey of the Padne bar at the mouth of the —.
October 2, No. 552 (G)

Nileshwar river, South Kanara district.—Directing with remarks that no further protective work need be undertaken in connexion with the Padne bar at the mouth of the —.
November 10, No. 465 I. (A)

Raising and strengthening the right and left flood banks of the Kistna river and forming a berm in rear of the right flood bank.—Communicating to the officers concerned letter from the Government of India sanctioning a supplemental estimate amounting to Rs. 27,493 for —.
November 29, No. 491 I. (A)

Burrow-pits on river bund at Polavaram—Recording papers regarding —.
December 22, No. 726 (G)

ROADS.

Drainage of the Gōdāvari delta and the Kolair, and the construction of village roads in the delta.—Recording copy of notes furnished to Financial Department on the suggestion of the Hon'ble K. R. V. Krishna Rao Pantulu made in connexion with the ensuing Finance Committee regarding the provision of adequate funds in the budget estimate for 1918-19 for improvements to the —.
December 8, No 703 (G)

SHEDS.

Toti's shed at the Grand Anicut, Cauvery Delta System.—According administrative approval to the Superintending Engineer's proposal to construct a —, Cauvery division.
April 12, No. 149 I. (B)

Sheds for the Cauvery gauging staff in Mysore.—Requesting the Accountant-General, Madras, to place at the disposal of the Superintending Engineer, Krishnaraja Sagara Works, Mysore, the amount of the estimate sanctioned in G.O. No. 119 I., dated 20th March 1917, for constructing —.
April 14, No. 208 (G)

Lascars' shed at Odacheri, Cauvery delta system, Vennar division—According administrative approval to the estimate of Rs. 290 for special repairs to the —. July 2, No. 272 I. (B)

Mile coolies' sheds at Nadukur and Kaviti (Nagavalli project).—According administrative approval to the construction of two — at an estimated cost of Rs. 420 each.
November 10, No 463 I. (B)

SHUTTERS.

Improvements to the emergency shutter of the Periyar head works at Tekkady, Madura district.—Sanctioning a revised estimate amounting to Rs. 5,360 for —.
September 11, No. 380 I. (B)

Nallatur Regulator shutters.—Ordering that a letter be sent to the Governor of French Settlements in India informing him that the Accountant-General had been authorized to place at the disposal of the French Government the sum of Rs. 4,245-13-4 in connexion with the —.
November 15, No. 470 I. (B)

Nallatur Regulator shutters.—Letter to the Governor of French Settlements in India regarding —.
November 15, No. 471 I. (B)

SLUICES.

Provision of a second head-sluice to the Kistna Eastern delta.—Recording the petition, dated 10th March 1917, from Mr. C. Hanumanlu, Pleader, Bezwada, regarding the —.
June 15, No. 337 (G)

Korugal anicut.—Ordering that the Nizam's Government be addressed to strictly follow the dates laid down in G.O. No. 306 I., dated 5th July 1907, for the opening and closing of the scouring sluices of the — on the Hyderabad side of the Tungabhadra river.
July 2, Nos. 273–74 I. (B)

SLUICES—*cont.*

Kandukur-Vyasasamudram tank, Madanapalle taluk, Chittoor district.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 6,690 for improvements to the high and low level sluices of the —. July 30, No. 318 I. (A)

Transfer of control of the sluice of the Jaghirdar of Sivasamudram on the Danakarai anicut to the Mysore Darbar.—Recording papers relating to the proposed —. November 9, No. 640 (G)

Constructing pipe sluice at R 44—4—354 of the Bank canal and improving the bothie leading therefrom, Gōdāvari Delta system.—Sanctioning the revised estimate of Rs. 4,574 for —, Gōdāvari Eastern division, and approving the draft notification for acquisition of land required. November 15, No. 472 I. (B)

A sluice for Chinnarangadipalem drinking water tank, Gostanadhi and Velpur canal, Gōdāvari Western division.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 150 for providing a — as a full contribution work. November 15, No. 473 I. (B)

STATIONERY.

Covers and demi-official note papers.—Recording G.O. No. 751, Financial, dated 22nd December 1916, directing the discontinuance of the supply of certain —. January 26, No. 48 (G)

Manufacture of flags for Secretariat offices.—Recording G.O. No. 750, Financial, dated 22nd December 1916, sanctioning the issue of badami cartridge royal 68 lb. for the —. February 5, No. 69 (G)

Economy in the consumption of stationery.—Recording Financial Memorandum No. 662-2, dated 31st January 1917, suggesting certain —. February 19, No. 96 (G)

Utilisation of certain obsolete varieties of coloured paper.—Recording G.O. No. 102, Financial, dated 17th February 1917, passing orders on the proposals of the Superintendent of Stationery in regard to the —. March 2, No. 128 (G)

Paper.—Recording G.O. No. 116, Financial, dated 26th February 1917, issuing instructions with a view to curtail the demand for certain costly kinds of —. March 15, No. 166 (G)

Stores.—Recording G.O. No. 316, Public (Marine), dated 18th July 1917, recording endorsement of Government of India, Army Department, No. 9739, dated 2nd July 1917, forwarding copy of their letter to the Director, Royal Indian Marine, No. 9738, dated 2nd July 1917, stating that for the purposes of the preparation of recovery claims against the Imperial and Local Governments, etc., on account of marine expenditure and supplies of marine — in 1916-17 and thereafter the prices of Europe — should be taken at Marine stock book rates plus 44 per cent thereon in each case. August 7, No. 447 (G)

Coloured papers.—Recording G.O. No. 529, Financial, dated 8th August 1917, approving the proposal of the Superintendent of Stationery to relax temporarily the use of —. August 28, No. 493 (G)

Demi-official note papers and covers.—Recording G.O. No. 593, Financial, dated 10th September 1917, passing orders with a view to effect further economies in the use of —. September 28, No. 548 (G)

Stationery.—Recording G.O. No. 563, Financial (Confdl.), communicating copy of a letter from the Government of India enjoining that Esterbrook relief nibs should not be indented for. September 28, No. 549 (G) (Confdl.)

Paper and boards.—Recording G.O. No. 677, Financial, dated 17th October 1917, communicating to the Superintendent of Stationery and all other heads of departments letter from the Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 11345, dated 20th September 1917, stating that strictest economy should be observed in the use of — obtained from England and that the indents for the same should be carefully scrutinized in the future. November 6, No. 632 (G)

Ruled paper and cut slips and sheets.—Recording G.O. No. 719, Financial, dated 6th November 1917, directing inclusion of — in Appendix I of Stationery Manual. November 20, No. 660 (G)

Covering sheet of the weekly table of contents.—Recording remarks of Chief Secretary regarding the use of the same — many times over. December 5, No. 690 (G)

STORES.

Government stores.—Recording G.O. No. 216, Public (Marine), dated 2nd May 1917, recording letter from the Government of India forwarding copies of the revised statements A, B, C and D showing officers in India to whom bills of lading, tonnage accounts, invoices and packing accounts for — are sent. May 24, No. 283 (G)

Stores.—Recording G.O. No. 303, Financial, dated 11th May 1917, communicating to all indenting officers letters from the Government of India forwarding a copy of their resolution, dated 26th April 1917, introducing a new sub-clause (*b*) to rule 4 of — rules and explaining the necessity for its introduction. May 30, No. 307 (G)

Stock of galvanized flexible ropes.—Recording Memorandum No. 301-G./17-1, Revenue, dated 6th July 1917, as to the —. July 30, No. 429 (G)

STORES—*cont.*

Priority.—Recording G.O. No. 2455, Revenue, dated 9th August 1917, issuing certain instructions in regard to the submission of applications for — assistance in procuring supplies from the United Kingdom. September 4, No. 513 (G) (Confdl.)

Priority committee.—Recording G.O. No. 2929, Revenue, dated 18th September 1917, directing that all applications for priority in respect of steel baling hoops should be submitted to — No. I appointed in G.O. No. 2429, Revenue, dated 8th August 1917, to deal with application from cotton mills gins and presses; jute mills and presses and from sugar factories. October 9, No 570 (G)

Priority.—Recording G.O No. 2962, Revenue, dated 20th September 1917, publishing a press communique on the subject of the submission of — applications for assistance in respect of food and medicine to be obtained from the United Kingdom. October 11, No. 583 (G)

Stores.—Recording G.O. No. 643, Financial, dated 3rd October 1917, communicating copy of letter No. 11508, dated 17th September 1917, from the Government of India stating that all correspondence on the subject of supply of — should be hereafter addressed to the Indian Munitions Board. October 17, No. 598 (G)

Return of expenditure on stores.—Recording Public Works Department Memorandum No. 6501 C, dated 19th October 1917, recording G.O. No. 589, Financial, dated 7th September 1917, directing the despatch of a letter to the Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry (Stores), forwarding two statements, one showing the expenditure on stores purchased locally by the several departments of this Government during 1916-17 and the other explaining important variations in the current year as compared with the figures of the last year. October 29, No. 6 4 (G)

Stores.—Recording G.O. No. 704, Financial, dated 30th October 1917, communicating to all indenting officers, for information and guidance, letter No. G. 548, dated 17th October 1917, from the Indian Munitions Board communicating copy of a despatch from the Secretary of State relating to the report of a committee appointed to inquire into the nature of duties performed by the inspection staff of the Stores department of the India Office. November 16, No. 649 (G)

Testing of materials and stores purchased.—Recording Public Works Memorandum No. 7379, dated 23rd November 1917, communicating Government of India's order regarding the —. November 30, No. 680 (G)

Priority.—Recording G.O. No. 3707, Revenue, dated 21st November 1917, issuing a press communiqué stating that all applications for priority assistance (other than those from gold mines) should be submitted to the Controller of Munitions. December 1, No. 682 (G)

SUITS.

Suits relating to the repiping system or other similar matters connected with irrigation.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineers G.O. No. 2793, Revenue, dated 7th December 1916, directing that — should be defended by the Revenue Department and not by the Public Works Department. January 5, No. 5 (G)

Civil suit filed by Uppuluri Venkata Seshayya against Government for having changed the source of irrigation to his field No. 32 of Duggirala village.—Forwarding to the Board of Revenue (Revenue Settlement) letter from the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, No. 626 I., dated 31st December 1916, 3rd January 1917, forwarding connected papers in regard to the —. January 10, No. 14 (G)

Suit notice given by the Raja of Pittapuram in connexion with Padamati Lanka of Lankala Gannavaram.—Recording file regarding — under section 25 of the Rivers Conservancy Act. January 11, No. 20 (G)

Suit regarding the regulator constructed by the Raja of Pithapuram at the head of the Timmapuram channel.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, I Circle, G.O. Mis. No. 245, dated 26th January 1917, recording Board's Proceedings approving the written statement to be filed in the Sub-Court, Cocanada, in respect of the —. February 1, No. 66 (G)

Suits relating to Crown property.—Recording G.O. No. 230, Revenue, dated 25th January 1917, inviting the attention of the Board of Revenue to the judgment of the Privy Council regarding the onus of proving adverse possession in —. February 15, No. 92 (G)

Suit by the Raja of Pithapuram claiming river survey No. 9 of Block No. 20 of the Gōdāvari river survey.—Recording letter from the Superintending Engineer, I Circle, stating that the suit has been filed. February 15, No. 94 (G)

Suit.—Sanctioning the institution of a civil — against Hussain Miah for the recovery of the loss sustained by Government in the resale of the right of fishing in the Patha Cuddapah tank during 1916. April 12, No. 148 I. (B)

SUITS—*cont.*

Suits against Government servants.—Recording G.O. No. 912, Home (Judicial), dated 2nd May 1917, stating that legal advice should be obtained by heads of departments before submitting for the orders of Government an application for sanction for the defence at the public expense of a civil suit brought against a Government servant for acts done in his official capacity. May 25, No. 289 (G)

Suit.—Communicating to Superintending Engineer, I Circle, G.O. No. 1426 Rev., dated 21st May 1917, approving the action of the Collector of Gōdāvari in having compromised a — relating to the ownership of a portion of a lanka. June 9, No. 324 (G)

Suit.—Sanctioning, with remarks, the defence of the suit filed against Government in O.S. No. 66 of 1917 on the file of the District Munsif's Court, Melur, Madura district, for damages caused by a Public Works Department contractor in carrying out the repairs of the Chettikulam tank. June 22, No. 250 I. (B)

Suit.—Issuing instructions to Superintending Engineer, II Circle, in regard to the question of preparing a second appeal to the High Court in connexion with the suit filed against Government by the Jagirdar of Jingeru, Kistna district. June 29, No. 361 (G)

Railway-affecting tank.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, VII Circle, G.O. No. 2763, Revenue, dated 6th September 1917, informing the Collector of Chittoor that he may file on his own authority a suit for the recovery of the cost of repairs executed by Government to a —. September 19, No. 536 (G)

Suit.—Recording, with remarks, Board's Proceedings sanctioning the defence of the Marandahalli anicut — filed by the mittadar of Marandahalli in the District Munsif's Court, Dharmapuri, Salem district. September 28, No. 403 I. (A)

Fees to Government Solicitor.—Recording G.O. No. 1796, Home (Judicial), dated 29th August 1917, passing orders as to the fees to be paid to the Government Solicitor in suits which are compromised. September 28, No. 547 (G)

Suit.—Sanctioning the payment of Rs. 25 to the Government Pleader who conducted O.S. No. 66 of 1917 on the file of the District Munsif's Court, Melur taluk, Madura district October 1, No. 407 I. (B)

Improvements to the Sengulam tank, Tenkasi taluk, Tinnevelly district.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 6,500 for — as a result of a compromise petition filed in a suit regarding the tank. November 8, No. 460 I. (A)

Suit.—Passing orders regarding the — in connexion with the dam across the Kondamari odai, Madura district (Confidential). November 10, No. 462 I. (B)

Kamini Lanka suit.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, I Circle, G.O. No. 3930, Revenue, dated 6th December 1917, recording, with remarks, Board's Proceedings reporting that the — O.S. Nos. 45, 46, 47 on the file of the Additional Temporary Sub-Court Rajahmundry, have been decided in favour of Government. December 14, No. 714 (G)

SURVEYS AND SETTLEMENTS.

Charts and survey registers of blocks 16, 17 and 19 of the Gōdāvari river survey.—Passing orders in regard to certain corrections to be carried out in the —. January 20, Nos. 27–28 I. (A)

Settlement.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, G.O. No. 2912, Revenue, dated 18th December 1916, approving, with remarks, the notification for the — of the resumed inam village of Pentapadu in the Gudur taluk of the Nellore district. January 26, No. 44 (G)

Settlement.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, I Circle, G.O. P. No. 3024, Revenue, dated 28th December 1916, recording, with remarks, report on the introduction of — rates in certain places of the Ganjam district. February 5, No. 74 (G)

Settlement.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, G.O. Mis. No. 267, Revenue, dated 30th January 1917, approving the draft notification for the treatment of fisheries in the tanks in the village of Pentapadu, Gudur taluk, Nellore district. February 5, No. 76 (G)

Resurvey.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, VII Circle, G.O. Mis. No. 431, Revenue, dated 15th February 1917, sanctioning the — of certain lands in Malaiperumalagaram village, Cuddalore taluk, which have been taken up for strengthening the left bank of the Bangaru channel in the South Arcot district. February 21, No. 102 (G)

Survey.—Communicating to Superintending Engineer, I Circle, G.O. No. 2718, Revenue, dated 3rd September 1917, recording report of the Collector of Gōdāvari on the annual — of lankas in the Gōdāvari river. September 20, No. 537 (G)

Resettlement.—Communicating to Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, G.O. No. 2703, Revenue, dated 1st September 1917, recording, with remarks, the report on the introduction of — in the Palni taluk of the Madura district. September 22, No. 539 (G)

TANKS.

Railway-affecting tank.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, VII Circle, G.O. No. 3023, Revenue, dated 28th December 1916, sanctioning the execution of repairs to the Valliammapuram tank, a — in the Chittoor district, under section 9 of the Madras Railway Protection Act of 1886.
January 8, No. 9 (G)

Improvements to the Kambalakanmoy, Periyar system.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 3,037 for —.
January 9, No. 6 I. (A)

Improving the supply to the Kilianagar tank, Madurantakam taluk, Chingleput district.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 11,250 for —.
January 10, No. 7 I. (A)

Excavating field channels from the branches of the Uyyakalva of the Nellore tank.—Recording the papers relating to the explanation for the delay in the matter of —.
January 10, No. 15 (G)

Aliabad large tank, North Arcot division.—Sanctioning a revised estimate of Rs. 2,700 for improvements to the —.
January 16, No. 18 I. (A)

Railway-affecting tank.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, VII Circle, G.O. R. No. 17, Revenue, dated 15th January 1917, recording a report from the Collector of Chingleput regarding the revised estimate for repairs to the Shrotriyam Uttukadu tank, a — in the Conjeeveram taluk.
January 22, No. 41 (G)

Restoring the ruined tank of Sekunala, Nandyal taluk, Kurnool division.—Sanctioning a second revised estimate of Rs. 22,450 for — (a famine-relief work).
January 26, No. 35 I. (A)

Railway-affecting tank.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, VII Circle, G.O. No. 213, Revenue, dated 24th January 1917, sanctioning the execution of repairs to Alamelumangapuram cheruvu, a — in the Karvatnagar zamindari, Chittoor district.
January 31, No. 57 (G)

Railway-affecting tank.—Informing the Superintending Engineer, VII Circle, that about 150 feet on the left flank of the Valliammapuram tank, a — in the Chittoor district, might be left as it is so as to form a breaching section and that the revetment proposed is unnecessary.
January 31, No. 58 (G)

Improvements to the Athiyur tank and channel, Tanjore district.—Recording papers regarding the explanation for the bad estimating and delay in the execution of the —.
February 8, No. 79 (G)

Arithapatti Kammangulam of Arithapatti village in Melur taluk.—Approving the recommendation of the Chief Engineer for Irrigation, that the — may be brought on the list and map of minor works, Public Works Department, Madura district.
February 12, No. 63 I. (A)

Nakkambadi Periaeri, Trichinopoly district.—Recording papers relating to the causes that led to the great increase in the cost of repairs to the —.
February 13, No. 87 (G)

Excavating a supply channel to the Kottur tank, Bellary district.—Approving the recommendation of the Chief Engineer for Irrigation to abandon the scheme of —.
February 17, No. 71 I. (A)

Railway-affecting tank.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, G.O. Mis. No. 448, Revenue, dated 16th February 1917, sanctioning the further extension of time up to the end of June 1917, for completion of the repairs to the Chirtanur tank, a — in the Chittoor district.
February 23, No. 104 (G)

Railway-affecting tank.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, G.O. Mis. No. 449, Revenue, dated 16th February 1917, granting an extension of time until 15th September 1917 for the execution of repairs to the Tiruttani big tank, a — in the Chittoor district.
February 23, No. 105 (G)

Water-supply to the Palayakayal tank, Tinnevelly district.—Recording Question No. 206 (Original No. 214) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 6th February 1917 regarding — and the answer given thereto.
February 26, No. 84 I. (B)

Sikkampatti tank in the village of Puliakkudi, Papanasam taluk, Tanjore district.—Approving the recommendation of the Chief Engineer for Irrigation that the — be taken over by the Public Works Department.
March 1, No. 88 I. (A)

Rushikulya system.—Approving the recommendation of the Chief Engineer for Irrigation to take over to Public Works Department certain tanks in the Ganjām district affected by the — and to include the same in the list of component works of the system.
March 3, No. 97 I. (A)

Railway-affecting tank.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, VII Circle, G.O. No. 417, Revenue, dated 14th February 1917, sanctioning the execution of repair to the Kayan tank, a — in the Chittoor district.
March 5, No. 132 (G)

Railway-affecting tank.—Communicating, with remarks, to the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, G.O. Mis. No. 596, Revenue, dated 27th February 1917, passing orders on the Collector's report about the repairs to the Sirunaiperugal tank, a — in the Conjeeveram taluk.
March 10, No. 153 (G)

TANKS—*cont.*

Constructing a new tank at Kolur, Bellary district.—Sanctioning a revised estimate of Rs. 93,600 for — for execution if required as a famine-relief work. March 19, No. 115 I. (A)

Sithalapakkam tank, Chingleput district.—Sanctioning a revised estimate of Rs. 3,200 for improvements to the —. April 2, No. 142 I. (B)

Railway-affecting tank.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, G.O. No. 943, Revenue, dated 30th March 1917, sanctioning the execution of additional repairs to the Palayasivaram tank, a — in the Palayasivaram village, Conjeeveram taluk, Chingleput district. April 4, No. 199 (G)

Restoration of the ruined tank at Bennikal, Bellary district.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, III Circle, letter from the Collector of Bellary, Ref. B. & G. No. 1265, dated 19th March 1917, recommending that the Bennikal tank may not be restored. April 18, No. 211 (G)

Condition of the irrigation tank of Pakkam, South Arcot district.—Recording, with remarks, question No. 48 (original No. 50) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 2nd April 1917 regarding the — and the answer given thereto. May 17, No. 192 I. (B)

Railway-affecting tank.—Communicating to Superintending Engineer, III Circle, G.O. Mis. No. 1295, Revenue, dated 5th May 1917, informing the Collector of Anantapur that he may file on his own authority a suit for the recovery of the cost of repairs executed by Government to a —. May 17, No. 257 (G)

Cutting from "New India", dated 7th May 1917, regarding Tank Restoration Scheme Works.—Recording notes connected with the —. May 19, No. 258 (G)

Railway-affecting tank.—Communicating to Superintending Engineer, VII Circle, G.O. No. 1332, Revenue, dated 9th May 1917, informing the guardian to the Minor Raja of Karvetnagar that the work to be done by the Public Works Department under G.O. No. 3023, Revenue, dated 28th December 1916, may be executed by him as a contractor. May 19, No. 259 (G)

Railway-affecting tanks, Cuddapah district.—Approving the list and map of —. May 22, No. 201 I. (A)

Formation of a new tank in Boothipuram village, Dindigul taluk, Madura district.—Approving the preliminary proposals for the — and asking the Superintending Engineer to submit detailed plans and estimates for the work. May 28, No. 210 I. (B)

Increased provision for Tank Restoration Scheme works.—Recording notes connected with the resolution moved at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 14th of March 1917 regarding — in the budget estimate for 1917–18. June 5, No. 314 (G)

Railway-affecting tanks in the Doddigunta Minor Basin of the Gōdāvari district.—Approving the list and map of —. June 9, No. 226 I. (A)

Improvements to the Valliyur Periyakulam tank, Tinnevelly district.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 3,350 for —. June 14, No. 234 I. (B)

Tanks.—Approving the classification, in the interests of railway, of certain — in the Swarnamukhi Minor basin lying in the districts outside the jurisdiction of Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, but investigated by the Executive Engineer, Tank Restoration Scheme division. June 20, No. 244 I. (A)

Supply channel to the Ottaipidaram Periyakulam tank in Tinnevelly district.—Recording notes connected with question No. 22 (original No. 18) asked at the Legislative Council meeting held on 22nd May 1917 regarding — and the answer given thereto. June 21, No. 246 I. (B)

Decrease in the quantity of water in the Chembrambakkam tank in the Chingleput district.—Recording papers connected with question No. 88 (original No. 86) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on 22nd May 1917 regarding the — and the answer given thereto. June 21, No. 249 I. (B)

Komaravole Ava, Vizagapatam district.—Fixing 450 acres as the additional ayacut of the — and stating that proposals for extending irrigation to this extent may be worked out. June 23, No. 253 I. (A)

Discontinuance of the Tank Restoration Scheme party that worked in the Narasapatam or Golconda taluk in the Vizagapatam district.—Recording papers connected with question No. 73 (original No. 71) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on 22nd May 1917, regarding the — and the answer given thereto. June 23, No. 257 (B)

Railway-affecting tank.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, VII Circle, G.O. No. 1456, Revenue, dated 23rd May 1917, sanctioning the execution of repairs to the Puttur tank, a — in the Puttur village of the Karvetnagar zamindari, Chittoor district. July 2, No. 362 (G)

Closing of the breaches in some of the Mysore tanks lying above certain tanks of this Government in Kollegal taluk.—Informing the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, that it is unnecessary to address the Mysore Darbar in respect to the —. July 7, No. 386 (G)

TANKS—*cont.*

Railway-affecting tanks.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, G.O. Mis. No. 1998, Revenue, dated 5th July 1917, stating that a revised estimate for repairs to the Sirunaiperugal big tank, a — in the Conjeeveram taluk has been furnished to the owner of the tank. July 18, No. 402 (G)

Nagavaram tank and supply channel.—Recording G.O. No. 2080, Revenue, dated 11th July 1917, ordering the publication of a notification relating to the levy of water cess on lands irrigated from the — in the Cuddapah district. July 19, No. 406 (G)

Thimmasamudram tank, Kavali taluk, Nellore district.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 5,000 for improvements to the —. July 24, No. 304 I. (B).

Raju tank and Nathikunta tank of Parampudi, Imperial No. 96-A and B, Gōdāvari district.—Revising the ayacuts under the —. July 27, No. 315 I. (B).

Kandukur-Vyasasamudram tank, Madanapalle taluk, Chittoor district.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 6,690 for improvements to the high and low level sluices of the —. July 30, No 318 I. (A)

Chembrambakkam tank, Chingleput division.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 3,280 for improvements to the channel from sluice No. 1 of the —. August 1, No. 321 I. (B)

Perumutchi tank, Wallajah taluk, North Arcot district (a railway-affecting tank).—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 2,673 for improvements to the —, Poiney anicut system. August 1, No. 322 I. (B)

Tanks.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineers of Circles G.O. No. 2223, Revenue, dated 23rd July 1917, approving the proposals of the Board of Revenue in regard to the steps that should be taken to prevent the erection of bunds by private owners on patta lands in the waterspread of Government —. August 22, No. 469 (G)

Potugal tank in the Dhone taluk, Kurnool district.—Approving the recommendation of the Chief Engineer for Irrigation for the transfer of the — from the Revenue to the Public Works Department. August 30, No. 364 I. (A)

Repairs and improvements to the Korakkavadikulam tank and supply channel, South Arcot district.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 10,605 for —. September 3, No. 367 I (B)

Railway-affecting tanks, Tinnevelly district.—Approving the list and map of —. September 12, No. 383 I. (A)

Panakala tank of Akkampeta, Gōdāvari Western division.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 16,570 for restoring the —. September 14, No. 384 I. (A)

Supply of water to the Surapet tank by the Madras Corporation.—Communicating to Superintending Engineer, V Circle, Memorandum No. 5611-1 M., dated 1st September 1917, requesting the President of the Madras Corporation to arrange to let in water to the Surapet tank. September 13, No. 531 (G)

Railway-affecting tank.—Communicating to Superintending Engineer, VII Circle, G.O. No. 2763, Revenue, dated 6th September 1917, informing the Collector of Chittoor that he may file on his own authority a suit for the recovery of the cost of repairs executed by Government to a —. September 19, No. 536 (G)

Irrigation dispute.—Communicating to Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, G.O. No. 366, Home (Mis)., dated 18th August 1917, informing the resident in Travancore and Cochin that the Government cannot admit the claim of the Travancore Darbar to raise the full tank level of the Ellatur tank above 581·50 whenever it considers it necessary to do so. September 22, No. 538 (G)

Viralore tank, No. 114, Madura taluk.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 3,520 for improvements to the —, Madura district. September 24, No. 397 I. (B)

Padarethi and Silandikudy Kanmoys of the Melur taluk, Madura district.—Approving the transfer of the — from the list of Periyar-affected tanks to the list and map of minor works, Public Works Department, Madura district. September 25, No. 399 I. (A)

Imporvements to sluice No. 4 of Chembarambakkam tank, Chingleput division.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 1,914 for the —, Chembarambakkam tank system. September 28, No. 405 I. (B)

Raicherevu in Somareddipalli, Badvel taluk, Cuddapah district.—Communicating G.O. No. 2999, Revenue, dated 25th September 1917, recording Board's Proceedings passing orders on the proposal of the Collector of Cuddapah regarding the classification as wet of lands commanded by the —. October 12, No. 585 (G)

Railway-affecting tank.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, VII Circle, copy of G.O. Mis. No. 3015, Revenue, dated 25th September 1917, recording, with remarks, letter from the Collector of Chittoor regarding the repairs to the Kothavirapuram tank, a — in the Kalahasti Zamindari. October 12, No. 586 (G)

TANKS—*cont.*

Railway-affecting tank in the Venkatagiri Zamindari of Nellore district.—Communicating G.O. No. 3112, Revenue, dated 3rd October 1917, passing orders on a letter of the Collector of Nellore requesting sanction to the revised estimate for repairs to Singamambapuram Agraharam tank, a —. October 15, No. 593 (G)

Improvements to the Velacheri tank, Cheyar anicut system.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 2,130 for —, North Arcot division. October 17, No. 427 I. (B)

Guduvanjeri tank, Chingleput district.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 2,910 for the improvements to the —. October 20, No. 432 I. (B)

Improvements to the Laddivadi tank and supply channel, Swetanadi minor basin, Hosur taluk, Salem district.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 11,600 for the —. October 25, No. 438 I (B)

Water-supply.—Orders passed in regard to the supply of water to the Nandyal tank, Kurnool district. October 25, No. 437 I. (B)

Water-cess.—Recording G.O. No. 3297, Rev., dated 22nd October 1917, confirming the rules for the levy of — for irrigation from the Nagavaram tank and supply channel in the Cuddapah district. November 6, No. 635 (G)

Irrigation works connected with the Sarada river, Vizagapatam district.—Approving the arrangements proposed with a view to expedite the execution of work in respect of the —. November 8, No. 459 (B)

Improvements to the Sengulam tank, Tenkasi taluk, Tinnevelly district.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 6,500 for —. November 8, No. 460 (A)

Railway-affecting tank.—Communicating G.O. No. 3395, Revenue, dated 30th October 1917, sanctioning the execution of repairs to the Yerpedu Peddacheruvu, a — in the Kalahasti zamindari of the Chittoor district, to the Superintending Engineer, III Circle. November 15, No. 645 (G)

Kudimaramat system.—Communicating to Superintending Engineers G.O. Press No. 3485, Revenue, dated 5th November 1917, passing orders on the report of Board of Revenue regarding the working of the — in this Presidency. November 20, No. 664 (G)

Second revised estimate for the work "restoring the Yellanur tank."—Informing the Accountant-General that a — has been received from the Superintending Engineer, III Circle, and is under the consideration of the Chief Engineer for Irrigation. November 22, No. 436 (R)

TELEGRAPH AND TELEPHONE.

Telephone connections at Ootacamund.—Informing the Superintendent, Telegraph Engineering, Trichinopoly division, that the — at Ootacamund exchange will be required by about the 15th of April 1917. January 26, No. 43 (G)

Telephone rent charges.—Recording G.O. No. 84 W., dated 16th January 1917, recording letter from the Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs stating that the Government of India have approved of certain alterations in the —. February 19, No. 99 (G)

Telegraph lines and telephone connection.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineers of Circles G.O. R. No. 1[illegible] W., dated 9th March 1917, regarding the restrictions on proposals for —. March 19, No. 169 (G)

Telephone connections in Ootacamund, etc.—Recording Public Works Department u.o. Note No. 537-Adm.-5, dated 1st March 1917, regarding the advisability of dealing with question of — in the several Secretariat departments, instead of in the Public Works Department. March 23, No. 176 (G)

Canal telephone lines.—Informing the Director, Telegraph Engineering, Southern Circle, that extensions of certain — may be postponed till the end of the war. May 21, No. 199 I. (B)

Telephone.—Recording correspondence relating to the fixing of — in Secretary's room at Shoreham Hotel, Ootacamund, for the current year. May 30, No. 305 (G)

Canal telephone lines.—Informing the Director-General of Posts and Telegraphs that no new — or extensions are required during 1918-19. June 29, Nos. 268-69 I. (A)

Telegraph stores for Military operations.—Recording papers regarding the supply of —. July 19, No. 410 (G)

Telephone rent bill.—Returning to the Superintendent, Telegraphic Engineering, Trichinopoly division, duly accepted the — for shifting the table telephone of the Head Clerk, Ootacamund office. August 4, No. 438 (G)

Telephone connection.—Recording G.O. No. 488 W., dated 4th August 1917, accepting the rent charges for — to certain officers' residences at Madras and Ootacamund. August 17, No. 465 G.

Telephone connexions.—Issuing instruction to the Superintendent, Telegraph Engineering, Trichinopoly, to dismantle certain — at Ootacamund in consequence of the move of the Government to the plains. October 18, No. 604 (G)

TOOLS AND PLANT.

Light railway materials available with the Public Works Department of the Madras Government for shipment overseas.—Informing the Secretary, Indian Munitions Board, of the —. April 26, No. 214 (G)

TOOLS AND PLANT—*cont.*

Rates at which plants supplied for war purposes are to be debited to the Military department.—Recording the papers connected with the question of the —. June 15, No. 338 (G)

Gauging the Cauvery at Upper Anicut.—Sanctioning the write-off of certain materials lost in the course of —. November 8, No. 461 (B)

Debit of Rs. 8,703-9-6 on account of tramway plant sent to Basra.—Letter to the Engineer Stores officer, Bombay, regarding the —. November 15, No. 647 (G)

WATER AND WELLS.

Pumping water from the Tiruvendipuram Anicut channel, South Arcot district, by the South Indian Railway.—Recording notes on the subject of —. January 6, No. 8 (G)

Salem water-supply Head works.—Recording Public Works Department Endorsement No. 8075 C., dated 7th December 1916, approving the proposals contained in the Inspection notes of the Sanitary Engineer to Government on —. January 8, No. 10 (G)

Board's Standing Order No. 4.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, G.O. No. 2971, Revenue, dated 21st December 1916, approving certain amendments to the Divi water-rate rules in section E of Appendix I to —. January 20, No. 37 (G)

Water-rate rules.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineers Question No. 2956 (Confdl.), dated 20th December 1916, passing orders on the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue suggesting amendments to the enhanced —. February 1, No. 65 (G)

Water-cess.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineers G.O. No. 473, Revenue, dated 17th February 1917, publishing draft rules for the levy of — for water irregularly taken to or used for any land from a Government source or work for purposes of irrigation. March 6, No. 139 (G)

Experimental pumping installation in the Korayar near Trichinopoly by the South Indian Railway Company.—Recording papers connected with the withdrawal of the sanction accorded in G.O. No. 203 I., dated 26th April 1915, regarding — for the investigation of the supply of water for locomotive purposes. March 7, No. 100 I. (A)

Water.—Extending, till 11th January 1918, the permission accorded to the South Indian Railway Company to take water from the Tiruvendipuram Anicut channel in the South Arcot district for railway purposes. March 28, No. 131 I. (B)

Agreement with the South Indian Railway Company for water drawn by them from the Wyacondan channel, Trichinopoly district.—Recording correspondence relating to the delay in executing the — and ordering the despatch of a letter to the Agent, South Indian Railway, informing him that Government see no reason for granting any specially reduced rates in the cases of water taken by them from the Odambokky and Ninjal Madugu. April 27, Nos. 164–65 I. (A)

Agreement for water taken by the South Indian Railway Company from the Ninjalmadagu, Chingleput district.—Recording papers relating to the execution of an —. May 2, No. 236 (G)

Irrigation.—Communicating to Superintending Engineers of Circles G.O. No. 976, Revenue, dated 3rd April 1917, recording papers relating to the feasibility of introducing a system of co-operative management of the distribution of water for — purposes. May 7, No. 246 (G)

Water.—Directing that no charge need be levied for — supplied to the Kamalapuram Union Bellary district. May 10, No. 182 I. (B)

Water.—Recording report from the Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, stating that an agreement has been received from the Agent, South Indian Railway, for — taken by them from the Wyacondan channel, Trichinopoly district. June 7, No. 322 (G)

Nagavaram tank and supply channel.—Recording G.O. No. 2080, Revenue, dated 11th July 1917, ordering the publication of a notification relating to the levy of water cess on lands irrigated from the — in the Cuddapah district. July 19, No. 406 (G)

Rules for the regulation, distribution and registering of supply of water in the Kistna deltas.—Approving the — and directing that the rules be published in the District Gazettes of Kistna and Guntūr districts. July 27, No. 313 I. (A)

Supply of water to the village of Surappattu in the Chingleput district.—Recording memorandum No. 4956-1 M., Local and Municipal Department, dated 18th July 1917, requesting the President of the Madras Corporation to be so good as to arrange for one filling of the village tank by sending water through the old channel pending the issue of orders of Government in final settlement of the question. August 3, No. 437 (G)

Amendment of the model agreement for water taken from Government sources by Railway companies appended to G.O. No. 441 I., dated 19th October 1909.—Recording the papers connected with a proposal for the —. September 13, No. 528 (G)

Localisation of irrigable wet lands in the Kistna Eastern delta.—(Confidential.) September 24, No. 396 I. (A)

Second crop cultivation in the Periyar area.—Recording communication from the Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, regarding the steps taken to restrict the supply of water for — in view of the anticipated fall in the lake level. September 28, No. 404 I. (B)

WATER AND WELLS—*cont.*

Periyar Power Scheme (Confidential). October 9, Nos. 413-14 I (A) (Confdl.)

Board's Standing Order No 4.—Communicating G.O. No. 2985, Revenue, dated 24th September 1917, ordering certain amendments to — regarding the levy of water-rate on dry land October 10, No. 579 (G)

Water-supply.—Orders passed in regard to the supply of water to the Nandyal tank, Kurnool district October 25, No. 437 I. (B)

Periyar water-rate rules.—Communicating G.O. No. P. 3296, Revenue, dated 22nd October 1917, regarding the — to Superintending Engineers of circles. October 26, No. 620 (G)

Agreement.—Recording letter from the Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, submitting copy of the — executed by the South Indian Railway Company for water taken from the Wyakondan channel, Trichinopoly district. November 1, No. 450 (B)

Ambalavana Pandarasannidhi v. *Secretary of State.*—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, G.O. Press Revenue No. 3257, communicating the judgment of the Privy Council and other documents relating to the appeal of —. November 5, No. 629 (G)

Water-cess—Recording G.O. Press, Revenue, No. 3297, dated 22nd October 1917, confirming the rules for the levy of — for irrigation from the Nagavaram tank and supply channel in the Cuddapah district. November 6, No. 635 (G)

Water applications.—Recording G.O. Mis. No. 3608, Revenue, passing orders on the letter from the Collector of Guntur regarding the grant of preference to — relating to lands assigned to sepoys serving in the war. November 20, No. 659 (G)

Kaniyampalayam anicut, Coimbatore district.—Communicating B.P. Mis. No. 2487, dated 6th November 1917, approving the recommendation of the Collector to allow M.R.Ry. T. Srinivasaraghavacharya to take water as a special case from the channel leading from the — beyond the period stipulated in his agreement with Government. November 22, No. 666 (G)

Agricultural department.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, III Circle, G.O. Mis. No. 3730, Revenue, dated 23rd November 1917, authorizing the Director of Agriculture to get the required number of copies of Mr. Tampoe's report on agricultural practices in the Gōdāvari Western delta printed at the Government Press, Madras. November 28, No. 669 (G)

First Gōdāvari District Non-Brahman Conference, 1917.—Recording notes connected with resolution No. 12 passed at the — regarding inconveniences suffered by the ayacut under 4 inch pipes in the Gōdāvari Eastern and Central deltas. November 30, No. 674 (G)

Report on agricultural practices in the Gōdāvari Western delta.—Recording papers connected with the —. November 30, No. 679 (G)

Urlam water-rate appeals.—Communicating G.O. No. 3257, Revenue, dated 19th October 1917, regarding the —. December 1, No. 681 (G)

Failure of water-supply in the Tanjore delta in July 1917, *and giving of previous notice of the anticipated shortage.*—Recording question No. 159 (original No. 143) asked at the meeting of the Legislative Council held on the 20th November 1917, regarding — and the answer given thereto. December 3, No. 500 I. (B)

Divi Pumping system.—Communicating to the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, G.O. Mis. No. 3805, Revenue, dated 28th November 1917, approving the recommendation of the Collector of Kistna to hold in abeyance for the present the concession regarding free grant of land to outsiders in tract commanded by the —. December 4, No. 686 (G)

Water applications.—Communicating to Superintending Engineers G.O. No. 3100, Revenue, dated 2nd October 1917, requesting the Board of Revenue to formulate a scheme in consultation with Collectors for fixing dry lands to which water may be supplied under each irrigation source and determining the order of preference in which water is to be supplied to those lands. December 7, No. 700 (G)

Supply of water for second crop, Kistna Eastern delta.—Recording communication from the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, regarding the arrangements made by the Collector of Kistna for — under certain channels as a special case during fasli 1327. December 17, No. 520 I. (B)

WEIRS.

Second apron to the Kandradithan tank weir, Nandyar channel system.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 2,552 for providing a — and forming ramps at both ends, Trichinopoly division. April 14, No. 150 I. (B)

Lolla and Ralli lock weirs, Gōdāvari Eastern division.—Sanctioning an estimate amounting to Rs. 13,733 for improvements to the —. September 1, No. 366 I. (A)

Improvements to the weir of Sivankodut tank, Palar Anicut system 176.—Sanctioning an estimate of Rs. 4,291 for the — October 13, No. 421 I. (B)

End